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BIG COUNTERFEITING CONSPIRACY

Net Thrown for Arrests All Over The United States

Secret Service Men Start Drive Against Gigantic Conspiracy—Ring Believed to Have Made and Distributed Between 1 and 2 Million Dollars.

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—The secret service men began today drawing in strings of a nation-wide net which will enmesh they think, one thousand members of an international counterfeiting conspiracy that they believe has its tentacles gripped on every important city of the country. The ring is believed to have manufactured and distributed between and one two million dollars worth of spurious bills and stamps. Arrests all over the country with raids centering in Chicago, Detroit, San Francisco and other big cities were forecast today by those federal officers who last night completed the jailing of 64 alleged counterfeiters in the metropolitan district. Deprived of its brains, the sleuths believe the organization to be incapacitated. While secret service men are tramping the trail they hit on in Detroit, the police of several countries will be hunting for members of the band which, extended operations in three nations.

The haunts of its principal members are known, so secret service men say.

Twenty-one of those arrested were held in the Tombs in bail from $2,500 to ten times that amount and two others were in Newark, N. J., also under bond.

Frozen Rivers Help Border Rum Runners

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Rum smugglers along the Canadian border in the vicinity of Detroit are taking advantage of the frozen rivers by crossing the ice to elude prohibition agents. Divisional Chief Porterfield reported yesterday to Commissioner Haynes.

RIGHT IDEA— WRONG DATE!

BATH, Me., Feb. 22.—Dr. William Rouse made a little mathematical error that seriously interfered with his death.

He was scheduled to die Feb. 20, 1923, according to his own prediction. This, he figured, would be 43 days before his 77th birthday—the date on which both his mother and grandfather died.

"I made a mistake," he said, explaining why he had to cancel his funeral arrangements. "I have been looking over the family records, and I now find I was wrong about my dates."

Now he figures he will die Feb. 23, 1924.

Rev. V. G. Smith To Leave City Soon

Rev. V. G. Smith, pastor of Shelton Memorial resbyterian church, will leave for his new charge in Portsmouth on Friday week. Members of the congregation in the meanwhile are striving to secure a successor, if possible, to take up the pastoral work here as soon as Rev. Mr. Smith leaves so tha tthere will be no interruption in the pastorate. Rev. William Black of Mt. Airy, N. C., has been tendered the call but he is understood to have declined it. He was here several weeks ago to preach at the church and he made an excellent impression. Since his written declination however, efforts have been made to secure his reconsideration and at the present time word is waited from him on his final decision

Held For Selling Insurance In N. C. Without License

(By The Associated Press)

RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 22.—A man giving the name of Dr. M. R. Good, of Pennsylvania, charged with selling the insurance of a fraternal order in this state without license has been arrested and bound over to court in $500 bond. Stacy W. Wade, insurance commission, announced today. Good is held in jail at Windsor, having failed to make bond.

Defense Evidence Be Heard in Will Case This Evening

Petitioners Seeking Revocation of Probate Sentence Present Further Witnesses.

Evidence in support of the contention that the late John E. Hughes lived in Pittsylvania county at the time of his death was continued in the Corporation court this morning. The hearing on the petition to set aside the sentence of probate in the Corporation court of Danville, filed by the heirs at law was begun yesterday morning and from appearances early this afternoon it looked as though the taking of testimony would continue throughout the day. How long the case will last could not be forecast this morning. There may be protracted arguments summing up the evidence after the defense has been heard but on the other hand briefs may be submitted which would greatly foreshorten the hearing.

Col. W. T. Hughes was on the stand for a long time this morning. Colonel Hughes, a brother of the late John E. Hughes, was examined at length and his testimony under direct examination was similar in purport of that heard yesterday evening when a steady stream of witnesses gave evidence to the effect that John Hughes considered "Fox Hollow" his home or place of abode. This is the direct issue in the present case and upon the establishment of Mr. Hughes residence hinges whether the sentence of probate shall be angulled or whether it shall stand.

Under cross examination the defense attorneys drew from Colonel Hughes admission that he had signed a contract with his brother under the terms of which he came into possession of an interest in Fox Hollow. Other documents presented and which bore Colonel Hughes' signature were tax-receipts showing that assessments made against Fox Hollow had been paid by Colonel Hughes as treasurer of Fox Hollow which was represented to have been a place of recreation and a club. The death certificate filed with the local health department also gave Mr. Hughes' residence as Danville and not Pittsylvania.

The proceedings this morning were slow and deliberate with frequent legal clashes on points of law and objections made by opposing counsel to the admittance of documents presented by counsel for the defense.

The defense evidence very probably will be put on this afternoon at which time it is expected to show by city officials that Mr. Hughes voted here and was assessed taxes here and performed the other obligations of a legal resident. It is expected also to be reiterated by witnesses that before Mr. Hughes died he left Fox Hollow and came to Danville to live.

A dozen or more witnesses were put on during yesterday or after the arguments on the demurer had been heard. These were witnesses for the plaintiffs and were presented for the purpose of sustaining the contention that John Hughes regarded Fox Hollow as his home. The early witnesses included Mrs. Canada, Burton Redd, Col. D. J. Holcombe and Henry B. Watkins, all of whom testified that Mr. Hughes, in expressions to them, indicated that he considered the place his home. E. L. Walton told of visits to Fox Hollow and of Hughes' attitude toward that place as his home. Mrs. George S. Hughes followed him to the stand. Her late husband was a first cousin of Mr. Hughes and she told of visits she had made there. Mr. Hughes, she testified, took manifest pride in his establishment and showed her over the estate as his home and of his plans to make certain improvements which later were carried out.

George Guerrant, colored, chauffeur for Mr. Hughes and his body servant, said that he was in the deceased's

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Armour "Fairyland" Becomes Plain Farm

CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—It was denied today that the $5,000,000 Melody Farm of J. Ogden Armour, at Lake Forest, is on the market and will be sold. The place was designed as a "fairyland" for Lolita Armour during her childhood. Gardens, fountains, pools, streams and woods are scattered over a beautiful landscape.

The Armour home has been broken up and sixty of the servants are seeking other situations. Chauncey Tibbits, gardener, will run the farm as a commercial affair, having leased the land from Mr. Armour.

News of the change in the Armour plans is a big surprise to Lake Forest and is due to the recent refinancing of the big packing company.

A. Watson Armour, nephew of J. Ogden and an official of Armour & Co., not long ago bought an extensive tract of land near Melody Farm and developed it at considerable expense. It was to start building a $500,000 home here next month but the alteration of his uncle's plans is said to have resulted in causing his property to go on the market.

Two other members of the Armour family are said to be halting building operations along the North Shore.

Other real estate that has been in the Armour family for forty years has been sold.

NEGRO SERVANT CONFESSES PLOT

Delcasse, French Statesman, Dies

Former Minister of Foreign Affairs, Expires Suddenly at Nice.

(By The Associated Press)

PARIS, Feb. 22.—Theophile Delcasse, former minister of foreign affairs, died suddenly at Nice last evening.

Theophile Delcasse was one of the most notable of French statesmen during the past 25 years, having to his credit, above all else, the inspiration which led to the formation of the Anglo-French Estente Cordiale.

Delcasse was born March 1, 1852, at Pamiers, Department of Ariege, in that part of suny southern France that has been a prolific producer of statesmen. He developed early interest in public affairs and serve a sort of political apprenticeship in journalism. While he was on the staff of the "Republique Francaise" he was elected a member of the General Couicl of Ariege. In 1889 the district of Foix, in the same department, sent him to the Chamber of Deputies and regularly re-elected him for years thereafter.

Delcasse's first legislative work was in the naval, colonial and foreign relations committees, and he became one of the speakers who commanded the greatest attention of the Chamber.

Under-Secretary for the Colenies in the Ribot cabinet (1893) he became Minister of the Colonies in the ministry presided over by Charles Dupuy (1894). It was in his brief administration of colonial affairs that he first attracted attention to the methodical application to affairs that has characterized his life work. In less than two years he had mastered the colonial problem of France, considerably developed its colonial interests and at the same time grasped the international questions that were to have so momentous a bearing upon the future of France beyond the seas.

Delcasse was called to power in the Brisson cabinet (1898) as Minister of Foreign Affairs and it was in this post that he was called to show his measure. A French expedition, under Commandant Marchand, had arrived at Fashoda in North Africa and raised the French flag over the territory. Great Britain had cried "hands off." French patriotism stood behind Marchand, applauded the little band that had surmounted three years of difficulties, perils and fatigues to reach the upper basin of the Nile, and proclaimed the impossibility of a withdrawal. To disavow Marchand was humiliation, to brave Great Britain was war. Delcasse looked over the heads of the people and far away into the future. By a straightforward invitation to Great Britain he raised the entire question of the limitation of the spheres below the surface of diplomatic negotiations, the effect of which will be felt for generations. Fashoda, abandoned by the French, was the first step toward the Entente Cordiale. Delcasse was probably the only French statesman who could have performed so delicate an operation, with so few heart-burnings, and without compromising his career.

What Delcasse aspired to as a compensation for Fashoda was nothing less than Morocco. Its possession for a protectorate was essential to the tranquility of the French in their Algerian and Tunisian possessions. This was to be a longer and even more delicate operation, involving a wide plan, then seeming so visionary, of a concentration of European sympathies and a harmonizing of interests then not at all in concert. Italy was still sensitive on the subject of French protectorate over Tunis. Tunis to Italy meant Carthage. It meant also an obstacle to other aspirations in North Africa, the realization of which awaited only the propitious occasion.

Delcasse earned the sharp criticisms of his enemies and the freely expressed skepticism of his friends by declaring in the cabinet that he could and would render the Triple Alliance inoperative so far as concerned France and the Mediterranean. He set about it by relaxing the severities of customs regulations and putting and end to the tariff war that had existed between France and Italy. Questioned in the Chamber July 3, 1902 as to the import for France of the renewal of the Triple Alliance, he declared: "In no case and in no form will Italy become an instrument or an auxiliary of aggression against our country."

King Victor Emmanuel's visit to France in 1902, and the return visit of President Loubet, accompanied by Monsieur Delcasse, at Rome in 1904, furnished further occasions for the development of the plan Delcasse had in view. The visit to the Quirinal was also the culminating point in the rupture between France and the Holy See.

The Entente Cordiale between France and England was the groundwork of Delcasse's plan for strengthening the friendships of France. The Fashoda incident settled to Great Britain's satisfaction made it easy to breach more vital questions, and the negotiations between Paris and London developed into a general liquidation of all questions in which the two countrie swere interested. By abandoning certain historical rights to Newfoundland, and accepting definitely British occupation of Egypt, France obtained carte blanche in Morocco, and the famous Entente Cordiale was born.

Delcasse has been credited with an effective influence in the settlement of differences between Russia and Great Britain, and with the effacement of many subjects of contention that made it possible for the Entente Cordials to become the Triple Entente. King Edward VII. alluded to the service Delcasse rendered in these circumstances when, one day, turning to the Minister and playing upon the expression "European concert", he said: "and at that moment we had a marvelous orchestra leader."

Delcasse's career was watched nowhere more closely than in Germany, where the fear of being "encircled" preceded the ill humor over advantages gained by France. A campaign was organized against the French Minister, though von Bciow assured the Reichstag that the accord between England and France could not affect German interests and ought not provoke sensibilities. The famous discourse of the emperor at Tangiers followed, and Germany summoned France to adhere to the proposed submission of the entire Moroccan question to a conference of the powers that had signed the Madrid convention of 1880. Delcasse, sure of the results of his diplomacy in the Mediterranean, resisted. President Loubet supported him, but the cabinet, a considerable party in the chamber and the press were against him. In this he sustained his first defeat since he entered the foreign office—was defeated not by the majority of the cabinet nor by parliament—he was defeated by the unpreparedness of France for war. When he resigned he had occupied the post of foreign minister eleven years in the five successive cabinets—a record under the third republic. France and Great Britain closer, and of forcing Italy and the central empires apart, but had conciliated the opposing interests of Russia and Great Britain and concluded a commercial treaty with the United States.

The war, the origin of which was so intimately involved with Delcasse's entire diplomatic career, has been in a way his justification. It proved his clairvoyance. Italy was not only detached from the Triple Alliance, but became an effective part of the Quadruple Entente.

Escaped Convict Threatened Wife

RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 22.—The police of Alexandria have been asked to lookout for William E. Oehlert, who escaped from the State penitentiary yesterday morning by concealing himself in a box couch which was being sent out of the building. Oehlert was serving a 20-year sentence for murder and recently wrote to his wife in Alexandria, who aided in his arrest, declaring that he was going to "get her."

Penitentiary officials believe that the convict will try to make his way to his wife's home and settle his scores with her.

Mrs. Jno. Logan Dies From Flu

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22. — Mrs. John A. Logan, 84, widow of the general who at one time in the civil war commanded the Union army of Tennessee and later was a United States Senator from Illinois, died from influenza today, after a ten day illness.

Cancer Victim Attempts Suicide To End Misery

A pitiful story of attempted suicide came to light today when it was learned that early yesterday, William D. Myers, aged 56, and in what is described as the last stages of cancer, first attempted to leap into the river to end his life and, when restrained, cut his throat slightly and then beat himself on the head with a hammer. No serious physical injury was occasioned and the man is again at the city almshouse where he was sent a few days ago, only to leave to rejoin his wife and her small child.

Doctors give Myers only a short mortal existence, so well advanced is his case. The malady has ravaged his mouth and it is only a question of a short while before he will be unable to swallow.

Myers formerly lived in Danville, but went to High Point, N. C., two years ago. He came back three months since in destitute circumstances with his wife and child and in a physical condition which doctors readily saw was beyond curative treatment. The local welfare association at once became interested in the family and provided them with quarters and sustenance. Growing steadily worse it was decided to place Myers in the Almshouse and he went there, his wife renting a room while the child was cared for by another family. Myers, however, insisted that his wife remain with him at the poorhouse and in view of the circumstances this permission was given. It was said today, however, that Mrs. Myers came back to the city three or four days ago, took her child and rented a room with the purpose of obtaining some work. Tuesday night Myers left the Almshouse and went to the home of his wife. He is said to have made the complaint that no fire was kept for him in his room during the night at the Almshouse. Returning to his wife, Myers found, according to the city health officer, who has made enquiry into the matter, that she did not want him there and it was then that he expressed the intention of ending his life and started for the river which was only a short distance from the house on Union street where Mrs. Myers was rooming. He was restrained and he then resorted to other methods. The police headquarters were called and Patrolman Foster Harris responded. The officer found the man lying in a pool of blood. He was taken to the office of the city health officer who found a skin wound on his neck and an abrasion about the scalp where he had hit himself with the hammer. Myers said that he was in such misery that he wanted to die. The situation was then explained to the mayor and word was sent back to the health officer saying that unless Myers would consent to remain at the Almshouse he would have to be locked up for safekeeping.

Myers then agreed to return to the Almshouse and he is there now.

Myers has been kept from pain largely by the administration of whiskey. He drinks more than a pint a day and it is the only medicine which keeps him quiet and gives him stimulation. He can take only liquid nourishment and his diet is milk with whiskey and raw eggs. Morphine and laudanum have been tried but these do not help the man who is in constant pain and who presents a pathetic spectacle. His tongue has been lost and he can enunciate only with much difficulty.

It was learned that Myers could not be placed in a hospital because the fund placed at the disposition of the city authorities who decide hospitalization cases is so limited that it can be used only when there is a chance of deriving definite benefit from treatment. Myers, it is said, if supplied with whiskey and tended by his wife can be kept comfortable.

Police Officer Harris stated this morning that when he arrived on the scene and found Myers writhing in agony, lying in a pool of blood, the man managed to let the officer know he wanted to die. Harris said that the suffering man begged him to end his misery by killing him then and there.

His general condition, however, is such that his span of life is estimated at a few weeks.

AN ENQUIRY FROM DALLAS.

The Bee is in receipt of a letter signed by Mrs. Lily Wilson, from Dallas, Texas, in which she asks for information about Joe Raymond and Dave Wilson.

"Somewhere," the letter says, "in the world is lost Joe Raymond and Dave Wilson. Dave was last heard of in Danville, Va. I would appreciate any information you can gi-

McDowell Children Burned in Revenge At Decatur, Ga.

Four Are Arrested as Cook Breaks Down and Tells Story of Burning Home Which Trapped Occupants.

(By The Associated Press.)

ATLANTA, Feb. 22.—Two men and two women, all negroes, were held in jail here today, in connection with the burning of Willie Matee and Marion McDowell, 15 and 17 year old, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John M. McDowell, of Decatur, Ga., early Tuesday. The arrests followed a confession by Demple Nix, former cook in the McDowell home who broke down under gruelling and made a statement to police implicating her husband, John Nix, his brother, Bud Nix and several other negroes, according to officers.

Ethel Nix, wife of Bud Nix, is held without bail as a material witness.

She and her husband were taken into custody by officers last night while Dempy Nix and Charlie Nix were arrested on suspicion Tuesday.

Revenge on the McDowells for the discharge of Dempy Nix was given as the motive for the firing of the house according to the alleged confession.

Klan Made Issue In Seat Contest Before Senate

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Sweeping charges against the Ku Klux Klan and its officers were made today in papers filed with the Senate challenging the right of Earle B. Mayfield to a seat in the next Congress from Texas.

The contest and its accompanying charges were filed by C. Petty, who ran for Senate last November in Texas as a Republican and independent Democrat and who accused Mayfield in a bitter campaign with being the candidate of the klan as well as of the regular democratic organization.

Excessive and illegal expenditure of money by the Mayfield forces fraud in counting the ballot and other irregularities were charged in the contest petition. It was contended that Mr. Petty was elected but in the event of the Senate does not so decide it was asked that Mr. Mayfild nevertheless be barred from his seat. The klan was charged in the petition with concealing its real designs under a cloak of patriotic pretensions in order to hide plans to subject the government to the 'invisible Empire' and with conspiracy to evade and defeat federal and state laws.

Fifth Contest For Musicians

The fifth biennial contest for young professional musicians, will be held in Petersburg, Va., on Friday evening, March 23rd. This will be one of the principal features of the State Convention of the Virginia Federation of Music Clubs, which will be held in Petersburg March 22 and 23.

The purpose of these contests for young artists, which are sponsored by the National Federation of Music clubs as, first, to recognize the superior ability of American music teachers by bringing their artist pupils into prominence; second, to encourage and inspire music students to greater effort in artistic achievement; third, to give opportunity and publicity to the most talented young musicians of America and to aid them upon a professional career.

Winners from the state contests then appear at the district contest, and the district winners go on for the national contest.

may be had by applying at once to the state chairman, Mrs. F. J. Wright, 49 S. Market St., Petersburg, Va.

All applications should be in the hands of the state chairman by March 1st.

Pollard May Know His Fate Today

(By The Associated Press)

RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 22.—Indications early today were that the fate of Thomas Pollard realty broker charged with the murder of Mrs. Thelma Ham Richardson would be in the hands of the jury by late today.

Introduction of two or three additional rebuttal witnesses faced the court when it convened for the tenth day of the trial today and on completion of their evidence counsel began to argue to the jury. This, it was as expected to take up the morning session as each side was understood to have about 20 points it desired to put before the jury.

Hiccoughs Two Week!s Near Death

(By The Associated Press)

WILMINGTON, Feb. 22.—K. O. Ludwig, of Carolina Beach, 18 miles from here is reported in a serious condition as result of nearly two weeks hiccoughing.

Gotham's Catholic Churches Guarded

No Explanation Offered for Placing of Policemen at All Edifices in Greater New York.

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—A police guard ywas posted today at every Roman Catholic church in greater New York on orders issued by Chief Inspector Leahy. The bluecoats were instructed to search people carrying bundles and prevent them from entering the churches. Inspector Leahy refused to give any reason for the unusual action. Monsignor Lavelle, vicar general of the diocese said today the church authorities had not asked for police protection for the churches and he believed action was spontaneous on the part of the police.

The sexton of one down town church said there had been a series of thefts from poor boxes and candle depositaries in several Catholic churches and that the guards had been posted in an effort to capture the marauders.

He said he knew of no threats to burn churches such as have been received in Canada where a dozen edifices have been destroyed by fire and where advices say insurance rates have been ordered increased from 32 to 50 per cent. There have been several fires in Catholic churches in northern New York.

Education Bill Passes N. C. House

(By The Associated Press)

RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 22.—Without discussion the committee's substitute for the general education bill passed the house on second reading today by a vote of 96 to 1.

Representative Cowles of Wilkes (Rep.) cast the single negative vote. The bill was offered on motion of Representative Townsend of Harnett, chairman of the educational committee in order to save a legislative day.

Mothers Aid Bill Adopted

(By The Associated Press)

RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 22.—By motion of Senator Giles, the mothers aid bill superseded the farm loan act in the Senate and the bill passed its third reading with a few voting negatively.

The bill now goes to the House for concurrence.

Senator Armfield offered an amendment to the original bill to reduce the appropriation from $2,500,000 to $500,000 in the first year with $1,000,000 for the following year.

Printing Bureau Chiefs Not to Be Renistated

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—President Harding considers it neither possible nor desirable to restore the officials of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing discharged under suspicion of the Administration that they were implicated in the wholesale duplication of Liberty bonds, to their old jobs, despite the fact that the duplicate bond theory was exploded and the records of the officials were cleared.

It was said at the White House today the President has laid his cards on the table before the Senate Committee on Contingent Expenses and considers the incident closed.

Probably no report will be made by the Senate committee, which is considing the Caraway resolution to investigate the cause for the dismissals. Senator Caraway thinks the whole affair was political and that President Harding wanted to create jobs for more favored employees.

Mellon O. K.'s Bonus After Debts Are Paid

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Secretary Mellon was quoted today in the House by Chairman Fordney of the Ways and Means committee as stating that he had no objection to the use of money received from the foreign debt settlements for the payment of a soldier bonus after the money is in hand.

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COLEMAN IS GIVEN SILVER PITCHER AND TRAY AT LUNCHEON

(By The Associated Press)

RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 21.—George P. Coleman, former state highway commissioner, was presented with a silver pitcher and tray at a luncheon tendered him today by employes of the commission. The inscription on the pitcher stated that the gift was "in token their admiration of him as a man; their affection for him as a friends and their recognition of his devoted and unselfish service to his state."

ECZEMA ON HAND CUTICURA HEALS

In Small Pimples. Itched and Was Very Sore.

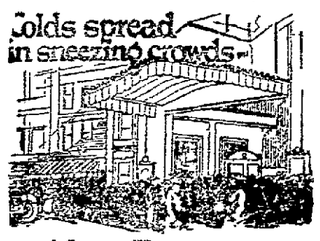
"Weeping eczema broke out on one of my fingers in the form of small pimples. It kept spreading until it was about all over my hand. At times it was red and swollen and would be watery, and would then dry up and look scaly. The breaking out itched and was very sore.



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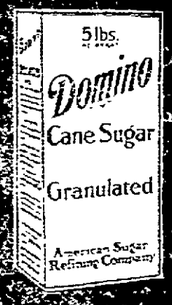
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Many Testify In Will Cose Of Jno. Hughes

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service for thirteen years, and he said that Mr. Hughes considered that as his home during his term of service The rooms in the Burton hotel which Mr. Hughes retained, he testified, were for company. Under cross-examination it was brought out that Mr. Hughes' lease on Fox Hollow had not gone back as far as thirteen years, but the chauffeur corrected his testimony so as to mean that ever since Mr. Hughes took charge of the place he had made it his home.

John G. Lea said he had known Mr. Hughes for 25 years He visited Mr. Hughes at Fox Hollow several times and was an honorary member of the Fox Hollow Club. On the occasions of these visits Captain Lea said, Mr. Hughes told him of being tired of hotels and boarding houses and that he intended to settle down at Fox Hollow.

Champ Barksdale, U. S. Commissioner, who testified that he had known John Hughes all his life, told of conversations he had had with the deceased. According to the witness, Mr Hughes considered Fox Hollow as his home and he discussed his plans with Mr. Barksdale on the occasion of those visits Similar testimony a fact, was given by Redd Richardson.

Mrs. Fannie Hughes Pruden, of Pine City, a sister of Mr. Hughes, testified in similar vein, telling of one visit she made to Fox Hollow in 1919, he met Mr. Hughes in Danville on that occasion and he remarked, she testified, "I must take you out to my home" She went there and remained for about a day and had the distinct impression that this was the place of his abode

Octavia James, a colored servant who testified that her husband also employed at Fox Hollow "pulled around and made crops", gave evidence the sense of which was that Mr. Hughes considered Fox Hollow as his home. Nearly all of these witnesses were cross-examined, and they were asked if Mr. Hughes did not also live in Danville, and as to the duration of Mr. Hughes' stays at Fox Hollow.

BILL TO EXEMPT SERVICE MEN

RALEIGH, Feb. 21—A bill introduced by Representative Nimocks in the North Carolina House today providing for exemption from automobile licenses fees of soldiers, sailors, marines and red croff officials passed reading and will com up for final action tomorrow.

Both Houses are in session tonight, the Senate considering substitute legislation for the control of secret orders measures and the House the general bill revenue bill.

FUNERAL OF MRS. ANGELL HELD YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

The funeral of Mrs. F. J. Angell, who died Monday afternoon at Edmunds hospital, was held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence on Franklin street. The services were conducted by Rev. O. B. Newton. The pall bearers were: Fred Grimes Joe Young, H. V. Lynch, J. W. Lynch T. P. Whitfield and Tom Luther. The flower bearers were Misses Lora Gee, Maude Edwards and Janie Young.

WOULD INVEST FUND

Jacob Silverman committee for J. C. Lockman at Marion, has applied to the judge of the corporation court for permission to invest $1,500 which he holds for Lockman in some good security. The court is asked to approve subscription to Dan River preferred stock.

MT. AIRY NEWS LETTER

MT. AIRY, Feb. 21. The Mt. Airy Graded School reopened last Monday after having been closed since the last of January on account of the influenza.

This has been a very sad community indeed since the deaths of Mrs. J. A. Thompson and Mrs. J. T. Barbour. The other members of these families are fast on the road to health and strength.

Mr. J. A. Thompson has recovered from the pneumonia which has held him confined for several weeks. His host of friends will be happy to hear that he is well and strong.

There was a splendid meeting of the Community League last Friday evening. On account of bad weather and sickness this was the first meeting since Christmas Twelve men joined and paid their dues. The number of men in the League is remarkable. A very interesting program is being planned for the next meeting which will be March 2.

In spite of the cold weather a large number of farmers were present at their Local Union last Friday. Most of the farmers of this section have finished selling their tobacco and begun preparations for the new crop.

Miss E. Holmes Stone spent the week-end in Alta Vista.

Mrs. C. C. Finch, of Java, spent last week with her sister, Miss Mattie Johnson, near here.

Mrs. George Edwards is rapidly recovering from her illness.

There will be a "Hen" Party at the school-house February 22, the proceeds of which will go on payment for the piano which was recently purchased for the school by the Community League.

MID-DAY LENTEN SERVICES AT BROADWAY THEATRE TODAY

The Mid-day Lenten Service will be held today at the Broadway Theatre, under the auspices of the Rev. Malcolm S. Taylor, rector of Epiphany Church. Next week's mid-day services will be conducted by the Rev. J. Callaway Bolton of

To Be a Good Wife, Wear Knickers

By MARIAN HALE
(Special to The Bee.)

"WHEN all women wear knickers," says Vice President Harry Sellner of the Retail Clothiers' Association, proprietor of stores in New York, Philadelphia, Newark and Trenton, "there'll be fewer accidents.

"Girls will save time getting to work in the morning.

"Because of their greater bodily freedom they'll be more efficient.

"Legs will cease to be any novelty to men."

At the clothiers' recent convention Sellner announced that he was going to put all his stenographers into knickerbockers. He has done so, and the girls say they're pleased with the change.

"They're a great time saver," reports Marguerite Schmelz, stenographer in the Sellner Newark office. "I wear them at work, and would like to wear them on the street, too, but I'm waiting until they're a little more generally adopted."

"As a student of the history of costume, and knowing the grotesque, inconvenient abominations that designers, in search of the bizarre, have forced upon women," declares Victor Perard, the New York artist, "I'm glad someone has had the courage to encourage improvement in their attire.

"A woman in a natty knicker suit has more freedom of movement, and so is more graceful and enjoys better health than her sister who's hampered by skirts. She'll make a better wife and companion."

"I hope," indorses Charles Keller, the big Brooklyn merchant, "that the knicker plan succeeds and spreads over the country. I'd like to see men dress still the same way."

But Mrs George W. Reid of Nyack, N. Y., prominent in feminist circles, dissents. "The Bible," she insists, "tells women how to dress. Instead of compelling modern girls to attire themselves wrongly, we should try to get them back to right ideas, so that they may lead normal lives and be worthy to become real men's wives."



A TRIO OF FELLNER EMPLOYES WHO HAVE TAKEN TO KNICKERS. FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: KAY WALSH, HELEN GORKEY AND MARGUERITE SCHMELZ.

FULL DRESS DRILL FRIDAY

D. M. I's Cadet Corps, which has already given an exhibitio drill seen and approved of by many, will put on the second number of its series on Friday, the 23rd, at 3:00 p. m. Practically all regalia is now had by every cadet, and in full uniforms, with white gloves and webbing, the corps should present a most attractive appearance.

Appointments for the second term were recently made, and were as follows.

Cadet Captain, Holder; Cadet 1st lieutenant and Adjutant, Dunkley; cadet 1st Lieutenant Spessard; Cadet second Lieutenant, White; 1st Sergeant, Booker; Segeants and Guides, Biggs and Taylor; Sergeants Ware and Bolen. Corporals: Gravely, J. Hooper Gravely, T. Perkinson, E. Agurcia, J. and Wilson, J. W.

All friends and patrons of the school with all who may be interested and wish to see are most cordially invited to be present at 3 o'clock p. m. on Friday.

NATIONAL PARK IN SOUTHWEST IS NOT LIKELY

BY GEORGE H. MANNING

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Prospects for the establishment of a national park around High Knob Mountain, Wise County, Va., as provided in a bill introduced in Congress last year by Representative C. Bascom Slemp, seem to have come to an untimely end following the sudden bobbing-up last week of Representative Robsion of Kentucky with a similar bill for a park at Cumberland Gap.

Mr. Slemp admitted as much today after an interview with Chairman Sinnott, of the House Public Lands Committee, which has the bill in charge. He was unable to obtain any assurances that his bill would be acted on by the Committee before the end of this session of Congress, and the only consolation he was able to elicit was from the fact that Representative Robsion's bill is also doomed to oblivion.

So the sum total of the whole matter seems to be that the Federal government is extremely unlikely to establish any national park in Virginia either in Wise County or elsewhere, for at least several years to come. End all due to Mr. Robsion's discourteous, to say the least, intervention just as things seemed to be working out nicely for Mr. Slemp's projected Appalachia National Park.

The proposal of the Virginia Congressman for the Federal government to accept a donation of five thousand acres of land on and around High Knob, and maintain the tract as a national park under the Department of the Interior. The bill authorizing this project was introduced about a year ago by Mr. Slemp. The approval of the Interior Department was obtained, and finally a hearing before the committee set, for last Tuesday.

Several delegations of citizens from Southwest Virginia were on hand to inform the committee of the marvelous attractions and innumerable beauties of the region. The committee appeared to be in a receptive mood, and things were progressing nicely.

But just as the spokesmen for the Appalachia project were settled back with complacent smiles of satisfaction and were already imagining their highways thronged with an endless stream of tourists come to enjoy the delights of the Federal fairyland—their visions were rudely interrupted.

The Kentuckian arose. Asking that he be heard on the proposal under consideration, he took the floor and addressed the committee. Starting gently, he gradually warmed to his subject, and soon held all listeners spellbound as he described in glowing colors another Paradies on earth—which was not only in Virginia, but also in his own bluegrass state.

Mr. Robsion was ruled out of order by the chair for discussing another measure than the one under consideration, but the damage was done. He succeded in getting a hearing for his own bill—introduced the day before—that afternoon; and at the end of the day the members of the committee were forced to admit that the thing was beyond them.

Surely there could not be on earth two such garden spots as they had described to them that day; so at a loss what course to pursue, they finally have decided that rather than make a mistake by accepting the strong proposal, they will avoid all and accept neither.

SHOT 25 CENTS KILLS HIMSELF

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—A shortage of 25 cents worried John Fairbanks Postmaster of West Chicago, so much he took his life, it is believed. His body was found today with a bullet wound in the head. Two weeks ago Fairbanks telegraphed Postal Inspector Germer, he was working overtime to make his books balance. An auditor discovered a difference of 25c.

—Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Carter are visiting in Florida.

HAWAII OBJECTS TO SCRIBE SENT TO THE ISLAND

HONOLULU, Feb. 21.— As a poet of old and new Erin, Padriac Colum may be all that those who go in for the new culture claim him to be. The Hawaiian Civic Club, the only organization in the territory composed exclusively of native Hawaiians, has no desire to criticize the belles lettes, but when it comes to interpreting the legendry and folklore of Hawaii, no one with a name, reputation and experience quite so foreign to Hawaii as those of Colum can hope to succeed. This, in effect, is the stand taken by the civic club in a resolution protesting bitterly against the action of the Hawaiian Folklore Commission in bringing Colum to the islands to collect and prepare for publication two volumes which shall give to the world a true impression of the old Hawaii.

Colum, who is now here engaged in the work under contract with the Commission and the Yale University Press, has so far ignored the objections voiced by the club. In its resolution the club declared that "the employment of a stranger to these islands and their people, one unacquainted with a single syllable of the Hawaiian language, regardless of the individual merit or excellence of such stranger, renders the collecting of new material by him difficult;" and that "the announced plan of the gentleman whose services have been retained, of making a short tour of Hawaii and then returning to New York City, makes it practically asured that nothing of value will be added to the store of knowledge of Hawaiian legendry and folklore."

The club has gone so far as to hint that it may start injunction proceedings to restrain the Folklore Commission from paying out to Colum and the Yale University Press the $5,000 appropriated for this work.

BORAH TO SPEAK IN RICHMOND, VA.

BY GEORGE H. MANNING
(Special to The Register)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.— Although Senator William E. Borah has stated to Senator Glass that he has not yet decided on the subject for his address in Richmond on March 13, it is regarded as probable that the pet scheme of the Idaho Senator for settling the affairs of Europe will be the basis of his remarks.

Rumors have been current for some time that the progressive leader would devote his summer to a tour of the country in the interests of this, his latest and most earnest plan for the re-establishment of the peace of the world. In view of this, it is not likely that the Senator will be able to refrain from this subject when he speaks in the Virginia capital.

The plan of Senator Borah in brief consists in the setting up of a world court for the adjudication of international disputes, and the complete demolition of the armed forces of all nations.

TUT-ANKH-AMEN'S AFFAIRS BEFORE HOUSE OF LORDS

(By The Associated Press)

LONDON, Feb. 21.—Tut-ankh-Amen's affairs cropped up in the House of Lords today. Ronald McNeill, under secretary of state for foreign affairs, was asked by Sir Harry Britain, "whether, when archaeology, science and art have been duly satisfied from the recent discoveries at Deir-el-Bahari, his majesty's government will, if necessary, use its influence to suggest that the body of King Tut-ankh-Amen may be allowed to remain in what he desired to be its last resting place.

Mr. MacNeill replied that the government had no desire to interfere in a matter in which the decision properly rested with the Egyptian government. This evoked cheers.

There Mr. Hardie, laborite, asked whether Mr. MacNeill or the British government had any proof that the real Tut-ankh-Amen had been found. The government spokesman replied:

"I have no official knowledge that the body of his late majesty is in the sarcophagus."

—Miss Bessie Bateman is visiting in Winston-Salem, N. C., for a few days.

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MACHINES CRASH; NO ONE INJURED

Motorists yesterday who happened to be pasing on the road between Shady and Pelham, viewed the wreckage of two automobiles, the result of an accident which, it is said, occurred Tuesday night about 7 o'clock. From the information available a Studebaker touring car owned and driven by Frank Kirks, was in collision with a new Ford machine. The name of the driver of the Ford was not obtainable. It was stated that no personal injuries were sustained although both cars were badly damaged, the Ford being practically demolished. Just how the accident occured could not be learned.

HARRY SILVERMAN IS FIGURE IN DUAL WEDDING

An interesting double wedding in which Harry Silverman, a well known young Danville citizen and merchant, is one of the bridegrooms, was celebrated at the Kinoca club, Kinston N. C., on Tuesday evening at 7:30 his bride being Miss Rae Diamond, of that city The other bride was Miss Dora Diamond, who in the same ceremony which united her sister and Mr. Silverman, became the wife of Jack Lipman, of Durham.

Mr. Silverman is connected with his father, K. Silverman, and his brother in the clothing and haberdashery business in this city and is a generally esteemed young man. His bride has been greatly admired in her home city. The wedding was attended by a large congregation and was followed by a brilliant reception.

Both the couples went to Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York, to spend their honeymoon and will be at home after March 1st. Mr. and Mrs. Lipman will stop in this city on their way to Durham.

While here they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Laban Silverman, Jefferson avenue.

BUILDING ACTIVITY IN CHICAGO RESUMES

BY C. G. MARSHALL

CHICAGO, Feb. 21—Building activity, resumed this week with a return of milder weather, has brought a rush of orders from contractors for material of all kinds Demand for common and face brick is in excess of supply and dealers predict advances in prices for the former grade. Country dealers are in this market for large supplies of cement and plaster.

Statements by F. W. Armstrong General Manager of the Citizens committee to enforce the Lands Award in the building trades, that there would be 7,000 vacant apartments by the first of the month brought strong denials today from real estate men who declared the only vacancies would be in very expensive apartments or uninhabitable flats

ARMY BILL IS READY FOR ITS FINAL PASSAGE

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.— The army appropriation bill carrying $336,000,00 and last of the annual supply measures before the present Congress was put in competent form tonight when the Senate without a record vote adopted the conference report as it came from the House. The Senate in giving its approval receded from those amendments which the House by its vote today had insisted upon.

The Leper Mission will meet with Mrs. [illegible] Davis at 4 p. m. Thurs.

OVERCOMES WEAK SPELLS WITH PAW PAW

Strength and Relief from Stomach Trouble Come to Oregon Woman Who Used Health-Building Tonic.

Happy users of Munyon's Paw Paw Tonic write us every day, telling us of relief from the many ills it is made to banish. Scores of grateful notes come from your own neighborhood. Here is one from far away Oregon! Miss Jane Coate, of Hood River, Ore., writes:

"I would like to state that I ordered the bottle of Paw Paw Tonic I procured from you for my sister. She has taken all of it and thinks it is a fine medicine. It sure has done her good.

"She doesn't have those weak spells in the morning any more and it has helped her stomach trouble. Considering her age it has done her more than good. She is much stronger than she was before using it."

Are YOU irritable, despondent or sleepless? Is your stomach out of running order? Do you feel heavy and "headachy" at times? Do you have gases on your stomach? Paw Paw is what you need!

For weakness, nervousness, stomach disorder, indigestion, blood trouble and sleeplessness there are few equals to Munyon's Paw Paw Tonic. Start improving your system with it today. Buy a $1 bottle at any first-class drug store. Munyon's Homoeopathic Home Remedy Co., Scranton, Pa.



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If you have dragged yourself through today—heavy, tired, and feverish—with head clogged, burning throat and feeling that you would be laid up tomorrow—take Dr. King's New Discovery at once.

Congestion is allayed—sore throat is soothed—the cough subsides—your head clears and you feel better.

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Federal Agents Join In Search for Earl Remington's Slayer

Charges and Evidence That He Dealt in Whisky Brings The mInto Case.

(By The Associated Press.)

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 22.—Federal prohibition agents today joined the police in searching for the slayer of Earl Remington, electrical engineer, shot in his own yard a week ago tonight. Their entry came after a declaration by the police that the widow, Mrs. Virginia Lola Stone Remington, had told them the dead man was a "society bootlegger" and after the police had found, questioned and temporarily released a man who admitted having operated three stills for the engineer. The police also said they had located a large quantity of liquor said to have been in Remington's possession but the chief interest of the federal officers was in the police statement that one of Remington's notebooks containing 200 names and records of sales had come into their possession. It was said that although the liquor in question was distilled by an amateur it was sold by persons high in business and society circles of Los Angeles. The police questioned several men whose names appeared in the notebook and stated they obtained admissions of purchasing liquor from Remington.

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Good Advice for Men or Women

Big Laurel, Va.—"I had a bad cough, had nearly run into consumption, and I also had feminine trouble. I took four bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for the cough and two of the 'Favorite Prescription' for the trouble peculiar to women, and was entirely cured. It has been more than a year since and there has ben no sign of the diseases reappearing. I find Dr. Pierce's medicines are just what they are claimed to be. I am thankful for what they have done for me and I wish others may be benefited by their use."—Mrs. Tryphena E. Addington.

When you have a bad cough obtain Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery from your nearest druggist and be relieved.

If you are a woman suffering with chronic weakness peculiar to your sex you can be benefitted by 'Favorite Prescription.' Tablets or liquid.—adv.

Word Is Awaited From Sen. Glass

Rev. Malcolm S. Taylor, initiator of the righteous national action movement in Danville in waiting now to hear from Senator Glass relative to the proposed audience with President Harding at which time the petitions signed in Danville recently and summoning the national officers in the government to rely on prayer for guidance are to be presented. He is also waiting for several of the local civic organizations which have endorsed the movement to name their representatives on the committee which will go to Washington. Among those who are certain to go are H. R. Fitzgerald, Mrs. A. D. Keen, Rev. Mr. Taylor, Frank Talbott and W. P. Boatwright.

Rev. Mr. Taylor has received two letters, one from Senator Swanson and the other from Congressman Hooker in which they express readiness to co-operate in any way with the committee and the project. Mr. Hooker said that he understood that Senator Glass had so far been unable to arrange for a meeting with the president but that the senator hoped to be able to arrange one.

There is, however, the possibility that the committee will be presented to Secretary Charles E. Hughes instead of the president, for it has recently been learned that a new rule obtaining in Washington is that the president does not receive deputations and delegations and that all of them are referred to the secretary of state who in turn communicates with his chief. It is possible nevertheless, that the president may see fit to give a personal ear to the Danville committee although this is by no means assured.

Congress Grinds Away At Work

(By The Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Federal government activities in all branches with the exception of Congress were suspended for the observance of Washington's Birthday. Senate and House remained at their task, cleaning up the legislative jam before adjournment March 4th.

The celebration of the day here centered on ceremonies at the Washington Monument at which the governors of all states had been invited to listen in by radio.

Laying of wreaths at the base of the memorial, by Secretary Weeks and other government's officials as well as representatives of a number of organizations and the paying of military honors to the memory of the first president, marked the ceremonial programme at the monument.

Senator Shortridge of California, was the principal speaker of the day.

FARMER DIGS UP COIN WORTH $1,000

LONDON, Feb. 21.—A Sheffield farmer, while digging in his fields recently, found a silver coin of antique origin, but in a splendid state of preservation. He came up to London, had it appraised, and found it to be worth £260. The coin is a Charles I Crown and was minted at the time when silver was very scarce.



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IN MYSTERY KILLING



A new Carl Wanderer-Ragged Stranger case may develop from the killing of Mrs. Nettie Diamond, according to police. Mrs. Diamond, in a dying statement, is said to have accused her husband, Harry, of shooting her and a negro chauffeur, intending to state both were shot when the chauffeur attacked them. He dnis his wif's accusations. Picture shows Mr. and Mrs. Diamond and their youngest child.

May Reduce Size Of Bond Issue

School Board Members Discuss Proposed Legislation in Richmond Relative to Tax Rate.

Major Joseph B. Anderson has held two or three informal conferences with members of the city school board relative to the proposed amendment to the charter of the city of Danville to be placed before the special legislative session which begins next Wednesday, and under the terms of which the council would be empowered to increase the tax rate in the city of Danville to provide money for schools.

No definite terms of the bill nor the amount of the tax increase has been arrived at yet, but a committee of the school board is expected to reach some definite understanding during the next few days with the Danville senator.

Major Anderson said this morning that he was whole heartedly in favor of some form of school expansion in Danville in view of existing conditions which are so serious, he has been told, that about five thousand children, white and colored, are unable to attend school because of the present congestion. At the same time he is conservative as to his estimates of the amount of the bond issue and, it is understood, he has suggested a smaller amount than $400,000 as originally asked of the finance committee by the school board. In the discussions which have taken place so far between Major Anderson and members of the board different sums have been discussed. The last understanding reached at these conferences was a bond issue of $300,000 and an increase in the tax rate of 15 cents.

One point which Major Anderson is stipulating is that in the preparation of the bill to be drawn up by City Attorney A. M. Aiken that the charter amendment contain the provision that the tax increase be used solely for schools, and not for any other purpose. He also believes that the bonds should be issued as needed and that the whole sum should not be spent at once. This would spread the work of improvement over a term of years probably longer than the two year span proposed by the school board but this plan would lighten the burden of interest and bond retirement.

Major Anderson indicated this morning that he would seek the adoption of the bill he will present at the earliest opportunity during the legislative session in order that it may be promptly acted on and the machinery set in motion here for an election by the freeholders of the city of Danville. There would be no opposition likely to such a measure which is purely local in its effect.

In the meanwhile, the school improvement plan is being discussed in many quarters of the city with a division of opinion on the size of the bond issue. There is one element which feels that the school board to which is entrusted the administration of schools has worked out the most economical plan and that it is asking for the smallest amount it can afford to ask in meeting the problem. There is another group which has expressed the thought that the original sum asked for was excessive. There is also a divergence of opinion on the question of tearing down Bellevue school and the erection of a new plant at a cost of $80,000

A member of the board today said that the actual improvements have never been definitely worked out by the school board and that no actual determination has bene reached on how the money from the bonds should be spent should the election result in an affirmative expression of the electorate. The tentative plans may be said to include a new school at Bellevue, a new wing to Stonewall Jackson school, an addition to R. E. Lee school, conversion of Rison Park school into a junior high school and a high school and the utilization of the present Grove street high school as a graded school.

INDIGESTION RELIEVED WITH NEW CORDIAL

Indigestion and its attendant ills such as dyspepsia, heart-burn, sour stomach, griping pains, dysentery, diarrhoea, colic, cholera morbus, chronic constipation, gas, etc., and even sick, nervous headaches are directly traceable to disorders in the digestive organs and can now be quickly relieved with new cordial called "Anti-Ferment," originated by a druggist and recommended by physicians.

The food sours before it is fully digested, thus rupting into solution toxic poisons that are absorbed into the system, irritating the intestines and setting up inflammation. To avoid this, you simply have to prevent fermentation by using Anti-Ferment.

Anti-Ferment neutralizes the acid condition of the stomach, cleanses and sweetens the bowels, soothes and heals the inflamed intestines and, increases the flow of gastric juices, giving quick and certain relief. Get a bottle of Anti-Ferment from your druggist with a guarantee of satisfactory results or money returned. It will improve your appetite, give you restful sleep and make you feel better than you ever left in your life.—adv.

Good Morning Judge!

Fifty dollars and costs and thirty days in jail for having a gallon of moonshine spirits, was the fate of Ernest Matherly, colored, who was given a hearing in the police court this morning on such a charge. Matherly was arrested yesterday by Police Officer Foster Harris and Prohibition Agent B. L. Heffinger, after a long chase which ended on Cabell street, when the officers came across the negro sitting on the curb, almost out of breath. Matherly had a good reason for sitting there, although he was very impatient for he was looking into the business end of a revolver, held on him by William O. Paul, special officer. The negro's flight had attracted the attention of Paul and realizing something was wrong, he thought it was his duty to stop him. Matherly had thrown the basket containing the jars of liquor down, evidently thinking he could make better time if he was not bothered woth any more accessories than necessary. The officers took the negro in custody, went back and found the whisky, and then carried their prisoner to the courthouse.

Officer Harris had seen the negro come out of a house on Newton street with the basket on his arm. Although a basket would not ordinarily arouse the suspicion of a policeman, Matherly had a guilty conscience which he could not conceal, and immediately on seeing the officer he started to run. Harris and Heflinger pursued him. The chase took them up Newton, into Dame street, up Colquhoun and around Berryman avenue, to the left down Shelton and across the hill towards Cabell street. It was on the hill that Matherly relieved himself of the heavy basket and this proved such a relief that the negro was able to gain such speed that he disappeared from sight of the officers.

In the meantime Paul, who resides on Cabell street, happened to look through the window and saw the fleeing negro. He got his pistol and went into the street to intercept him. Matherly did not heed his command to stop and Paul and Paul fired twice at the ground to frighten him. This had a decided effect on Matherly and he finally dropped to the curb, almost out of breath. Paul then held the gun, not knowing what the negro had done, until the two officers arrived. The shooting brought residents to their porches in large numbers to learn the trouble.

Andrew Williams, colored, who on yesterday sought protection through the court from a rival, Richard Tishie, whom he claims threatened his life unless he stopped paying his attention to Rosetta Hughes, the woman in the case, gave a sigh of relief, when the mayor placed Tishie under a recognized bond of $25 for his good behavior towards Williams. The negress, who was the source of the trouble, was not present to take sides with either of the men, and each amused the spectators for some little time with their tale of woe. Although Rosetta was not present to shed any light on the case, I appeared to be a case of the negress jilting Tishie for Williams, her newest acquaintance. Tishie had caught Williams and the negress together on the street, holding an earnest conversation on the corner. Infuriated, he approached his rival ad threatened his life and gave him a stern warning to "let his girl alone." Williams then sought protection from the court.

S. G. Smith, middle-aged, was fined $101 and costs and sentenced to thirty days in jail for operating an automobile while under the influence of whiskey. Owing to Smith's age, the jail term was suspended. It was his second offense and the mayor revoked, permanently, his license to drive an automobile in Danville.

A fine of six dollars and costs was imposed on Mary Cunningham, colored, for creating a disturbance.

A warrant against J. H. Coen, for engaging in business without a license, was dismissed.

—Mrs. K. P. Bass is at Edmunds Hospital for treatment.

John Smith Is Laid At Rest

The funeral of John Smith was held yesterday morning at 11 o'clock from the Fox Funeral Chapel, services being conducted by Rev Mr. Reynolds, pastor of the local Russelle church.

The pall bearers were W. C. Louhoff, W. E. Thomas, H. G. Giles, William Geoghegan, Ben Belcher and J. P. Clayton.

The flowers were carried by ladies.

Interment was made in Green Hill cemetery.

Y. W. C. A. CLUB GIRLS TO CELEBRATE

The Industrial Girls Club will entertain tomorrow night. A Washington party is planned for the members of the club and their friends. The decorations and favors will all be suggestive of the season. Games will be played and a merry evening promised to the guests. Club members who have not been previously notified will under stand the invitation to be present is extended through the papers. The following girls are members of the entertainment committee: Celia Dodson, Elizabeth Lewis, Ada Parker, Cuma Williams, and Pearl Young, and they have given much thought to planning good times for the evening. Misses Mabel Williams, Ida Prescott and Minnie Eanes are on the refreshment committee. The president of the club, Mrs. Virginia Lewis, and Miss Mary Bullington will receive the guests in costumes of the Colonial period.

—Robert M. Hall, of Proffit, Va., who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. W. Dan Cooper, on Patton street, has returned to his home.

—Mrs. Asa R. Hall, of Proffit, Va., is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. W. Dan Cooper, on Patton street.

Alexandria Gay in Honor of Nation's First President

George Washington's Birthday Is Celebrated at Virginia City, Also at National Capitol.

(By The Associated Press.)

ALEXANDRIA, Va., Feb. 22.—Historic Alexandria, the little Virginia town around which George Washington spent many a day, was dressed up in holiday style to welcome visitors from all over the state, Washington and Maryland for the celebration of Washington's birthday.

Governor Trinkle's party including a number of Richmond women representing leading patriotic societies was expected to arrive in time to witness the parade, the feature of the day.

The Richmond Blues battalion accompanied by the Richmond cadet band and that of St. Mary's Industrial school, Baltimore, comprising 75 pieces and familiarly known as "Babe Ruth's Own," were assigned places in the parade as were troops from nearby points.

The societies represented in the celebration were the four chapters Daughters of the American Revolution, Colonial Dames, American Legion Auxiliary and the United United Daughters of the Confederacy.

The George Washington Memorial association, which met here yesterday reported its building fund had reached $1,800,000. This will go toward the three million dollar fund set as the probable cost of the memorial temple to be built on Shooter's Hill, the foundation for which was inspected yesterday by the association members.

Members set tentatively July 21st, next as the date for the laying of the cornerstone of the temple.

The members will visit Mt. Vernon today and place a wreath on the tomb.

John W. Wright Dies At Hospital

The death of John Walton Wright, a prominent young farmer of near Cascade, occurred this morning at 1:30, at the General Hospital, where he had come for an operation. He was taken sick about two months ago with an ailment of the head and suffered a great deal. He was in his 23rd year and is survived by his wife and one small daughter. He is also survived by his mother, father, three sisters and four brothers, all of Cascade. The remains were sent home at noon today where the funeral will be held Friday afternoon at two p. m., Interment to be at Cascade.

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THURSDAY

Accepting the Call to Service

"And those are they such as hear the word . . . and accept it and bear fruit." Mark 4:20

Read Mark 4.1-20.

"Christian men and women are filled with energy, but in many cases the energy turns no wheels"

MEDITATION: Thought precedes any successful undertaking, whether it is building a house or a life. Good impulses die if they do not develop in the soul of thoughtful attention. No truth is ours until we have heard it, accepted it and put it into practice.

HYMN:
Christian, rise, and act thy creed,
Let thy prayer be in thy deed;
Seek the right, perform the true,
Raise thy work and life a-new.

PRAYER: We give thee thanks, O Lord, for the work to which thou hast called us, and for our fellowship, in that work, with thee, with one another and with all those who are devoting to it time, thought, life, prayer and money. We offer ourselves anew for thy service, and ask thy blessing upon all who are engaged in it and upon all for whose benefit it is undertaken. Amen.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1923.

GLASS ON THE TRAIL.

Secretary of War Weeks has ordered an exhaustive enquiry into the allegations made by Major Adelbert Cronkhite, whose son was shot and killed under mysterious circumstances in the State of Washington during the war period The investigation proposed will be confined to the charges that the War Department records in this case have been tampered with and that the evidence obtained against Captain Rosenbluth, who was at one time charged with responsibility for the killing, has been destroyed

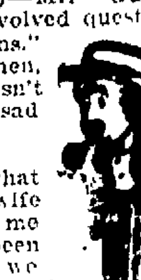
It is significant that Mr Weeks refrained from ordering an enquiry until it became known that Senator Glass and Senator Reed had become interested in the Cronkhite case and that they intended to get to the bottom of the affair It may be said with perfect assurance that a lively time is ahead of some department official unless the War Department undertakes a determined probe of the Cronkhite case The long letter which the major general who has willingly suffered the ruination of his military career to clear up the death of his boy sent to the War Department was deserving of immediate consideration and in the interest of fairplay and justice. Mr. Weeks should have set the enquiry going before he heard that two of the big guns in the senate were trained upon him. To what extent the enquiry will be juggled remains to be seen. The facts surrounding Cronkhite's death and the subsequent dillydallyings in official quarters together with the free mention made of the names of cabinet officers in connection with the alleged protection of Captain Rosenbluth would indicate a fertile field for investigation. The two senators plan no immediate action. They will await the termination of the official investigation after which they will be heard from Senator Glass has an almost personal interest in the apparent shabby treatment which has been accorded Major Cronkhite. He knows his record at Camp Lee and it is not hard to arouse him when he thinks that knavishness is abroad and that the subtle hand of Washington intrigue is seeking to throttle a wrong done.

CLOSING TO DOOR

I have closed the door on Doubt:
I will go by what light I can find
And hold up my hands and reach them out
To the glimmer of God in the dark, and call:
"I am Thine, though I grope and stumble and fall.
I serve; and Thy service is kind.
I have closed the door on Fear.
He has lived with me too long
If he were to break forth and reappear,
I should lift my eyes and look at the sky
And sing aloud and run lightly by.
He will never follow a song
I have closed my eyes on Gloom;
His house has too narrow a view
I must seek for my soul a wider room,
With windows to open and let in the sun,
And radiant lamps when the day is done
And the breeze of the world blowing through.

—Irene P. McKeehan, in the Century.

Scoop's Colyum



DRAKES BRANCH, February 22.—(Grapevine Wireless.)—Mr. Gump seeks advice on the involved question of "domestic relations." Like most married men, he is well off and doesn't know it. Read his sad story:

Dear Scoop:

Can you tell me what to do? I have a wife that almost runs me crazy. We have been married 15 years and we have three children, all girls. You can readily see it doesn't take much to keep them in "clothes."

I am a hard-working man. I make $35 a week and feel like any man that works as hard as I do and makes the money I do should be entitled to some recreation and the "say-so" over my wages. So I indulge in pool and billiards and picture shows and anything else I want to, every day or night in the week. Now I feel justified in all this. You will say yes, I am sure, when I tell you my wife has been working regularly since 1918 She can do more work than most women Well, now to tell you how she worries me She buys so many useless things Of course she buys all the clothes the three girls and herself wear, but she thinks the house needs to look like a palace, so here before Christmas she goes and orders paint for the walls and a heater for the living room and two pairs of yarn blankets and a dining table and chairs when we could have done without all these things Of course, she couldn't pay cash as she is silly enough to carry life insurance policies on all four of them

She has the clothes washed at the laundry every week and the kids do the ironing. Two of the children are members of the church and there's the dues to pay. Of course that by itself isn't much but all these foolish things count up. Now I think she could do more good if she would help me pay the grocery bill, as they want the best to eat and they run that bill up to thirty dollars every two weeks Now you can readily see that is entirely too much for a small family of five Of course she argues that three dollars a piece is small for a week's board when milk and meats and fruits and everything is included, but I know some men who live on less and we could too, if she would help me

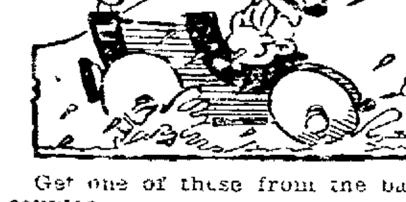
Now please tell me what to do, as I want to convert her to my way of doing things. She can make $21.00 a week if she would work every day, but some days the children say they feel bad and she stays at home

I want you to give me your very best advice as I don't know what to do to save money

Yours truly,
CHRIS GUMP.

—Gump auto buy a second-hand car. Then all his other imaginary troubles would disappear like chaff before the wind. Ain't it awful, Mabel!

—oo—



Get one of these from the bargain counter

—oo—

And Still Some Birds Wonder Why Business Is Dull'

"Is the office boy on duty to keep people away from me?"

"Yes, sir."

"Is there a bench in the hall on which busy men may sit while waiting to see me?"

"Yes, sir"

"Is there a hidden lock on the gate that leads into the outer office?"

"Yes, sir"

"Has the telephone girl been instructed to ask all who call for me their name and business?"

"Oh, yes, our telephone girls know all about that"

"And consult me before permitting anyone to talk to her?"

"Yes sir"

"Is everything arranged here to make it as difficult as possible for people to transact business with this firm?"

"It is."

"Good Then I'll go into my office and begin plans for our salesmen selling other people."

—oo—

Woman—"Now, if you don't leave at once, I'll call my husband, and he used to play football for D. M. I."

Tramp—"Lady, if you love your husband don't do it, for I used to play with D H S"

—oo—

"Sweet Steve" wants to know if "Sleepy Hollow" is another name for snoring.

—oo—

"The Greeks are having a hard time in Europe."

"Yes but they're doing business on Craghead street."

—oo—

Jehu Heard says it takes a lot of coal to heat the "castle on the hill."

—oo—

Dr. Daves says it is great sport to play hide-and-seek in the boxwood—down on the farm.

—oo—

A Crooked Story.

He was a bow-legged bow,
And she was a knock-kneed swain—
They went to a pigeon-toed preacher,
Who quickly made them twain.

—oo—

"And I'm not in favor of whiskers that take the place of a bib," says Gladys.

—oo—

A Good Reason.

"Jimmy," said the teacher, "why is it that lightning never strikes in the same place?"

"Because," said Jimmy confidently, "after it hits once, the same place ain't there any more."

—oo—

You can't get around it, kindness always pays. Pet a stray dog and he'll follow you a mile. Lend some Danville men a quarter and they'll come back tomorrow to borrow a dollar.

—oo—

HOME—the place where we are treated best and grumble most.

—oo—

Oh, wad some power the giftie gie us
To see oursel's as ithers see us.
Methinks 'twould save [illegible] chests
That we could wear [illegible] little vests,
Wrapped twice around [illegible] still so [illegible] sack
That they [illegible] back.

—oo—

Col. [illegible] Keeling [illegible] [illegible]

—oo—

Orange [illegible] [illegible] combination of [illegible] and [illegible] Frank Keck.

—oo—

Grandpa Travis says babies when they are born accept their parents without protest When they [illegible] get older, though, they make [illegible]

—oo—

One thing certain success has a chance to spoil few people.

THE OLD HOME TOWN —By Stanley



Skirted or Bloomered In a Flash



Here's a Paris designer's idea of something smart and practical for street wear

It consists of a long bodice of figured silk, joined to a skirt of velvet striped crepe.

The skirt may be looped at the hem and look perfectly conventional. Or, in an instant, the loop can be released and fascinating bloomers, of the same material as the blouse, are revealed.

TOM SIMS SAYS

One reason Washington never told a lie is a traffic cop never asked George how fast he was going.

Chicago will build a $15,000,000 hotel and we will let you know later if this is the cost or rate.

They claim it was smoke which overcame a fireman when 75 Bryn Mawr girls marched out in night clothes.

Allied court-martial sent a prison board to jail where they no doubt received a very warm welcome.

Entirely too many people go to the movies without cough drops.

Having a beautiful complexion doesn't leave much time for cleaning up the house.

Did you know the spring poetry for magazines must be in by March?

A recent dog show held in New York was a very snappy affair.

Among the first signs of spring are the seed catalogs

Before deciphering a granite tablet of hieroglyphics found near Sonora, Cal., the experts may call it a headache tablet and let it drop.

Reader asks if there are any cattle around a stock exchange. Hogs.

It is easy to think of something to say after it is too late to say it.

Someone should nominate John [illegible] of [illegible] ville, Ind., for [illegible] He has made [illegible] average of $[illegible] a month and saved $30,000.

[illegible] did $16 damage in America while you read this line.

A great [illegible] convicts are trying to make a living without working now.

A little man always hates to start an argument with a big man because he usually gets called a liar.

Several radio stations have had birds singing over them Wouldn't it be great if they could broadcast friend chicken?

The nice thing about having a home is it always gives you some place to wish you were when you are away

New York legislator claims only six cents should be paid for a broken heart Lady who has one tells us she feels like five times that amount.

Loaning money improves the memory.

AN INTERESTING OLD CIVIL WAR LETTER

The following letter is published by request of one of the persons mentioned in it, and will no doubt interest many old soldiers now living in this county.

Camp Near Centreville,
Fairfax Ct, Oct, the 1st

Capt. Wilson Parish,

Dear Sir —I have been intending to write you a note giving you an account of myself and my better half (I mean my Company) from the time of our departure from Callands Town to the present time You know the history up to the time of our departure from Danville and our tarry in Richmond from the latter place we were ordered to Winchester to reinforce the Army of the Sherandoah, then under the command of Gen'l Johnson and who was threatened with overwhelming forces under the command of Patterson, the yankey approached Winchester to make the attack but ascertaining that reinforcements had reached Johnson he prudently declined and suddenly retreated to Charlestown and joined his forces to McDowel's who was then on his way to attack Beauregard at Manassas. Johnson ascertaining that Patterson had retreated and reinforced McDowel put his forces in motion for Manassas to reinforce Beauregard and by a forced march joined his forces or at least the largest portion of them to Beauregard's before the fight of the 21st of July and saved the day. Our Reg. unfortunately did not reach the ground until the fight was over, a rascally conductor upon the road having run the train that was to have carried us on off the track and bursted up things generally. Since that time we have been stationed part of the time upon Bull Run and part upon Broad Run and now we are at Centreville: in the morning the Regiment leaves for picket duty with orders to go down below Fairfax Court House about four miles where the enemy is said to be in large force—we shall have an opportunity of seeing a live yankey and trying the range of our guns. The pickets have a fight daily and of course we shall have our turn. The boys are in high glee at the prospect for sport and I think we will be able to give a good account of ourselves. My Company has been heavily afflicted with sickness, but thank God we are upon gaining ground and all of my men present will be able for duty in a short while except three or four —T Oakes is rather the worst off and he is decidedly improving—David Herndon has been quite ill but is beginning to walk about, and so has Bill Gipson, who is likewise walking about. Ralph Shelton has relapsed within a few days from overeating and I can't say how sick he will be. My men are all satisfied and well pleased with their Captain so far and he with his men. I am certain they would not exchange me for any living man, and to show you that I do not want to leave them I have only to tell you that I have been offered promotion twice to the Rank Major with high pay but would not accept and only because my Company was unwilling to give me up. John has been a first rate soldier—he has never flinched from duty, has enjoyed first rate health and is very popular among the men and with all is amongst the stoutest men in camp. Give my respects to all the neighbors and friends and to Mrs. Parish and tell her that I have taken good care of John and shall continue to do so. In haste.

Your friend,
John R. Cabell.

P. S.—Tell Tom Terry to hold on until next Spring and then come down and join us.

MAYO SHUGART RESTING WELL

(By The Associated Press)

RICHMOND, Va. Feb 21—H Mayo Shugart, federal prohibition agent who was shot while he and other federal and county officers in a raid on an alleged still distillery in Lunenburg county Monday night, was reported tonight to be "resting well" and physicians said unless complications arise he had a fair chance for recovery. The condition of Arthur Hood, alleged moonshiner, who was seriously wounded by three bullets from the officer's pistol was reported unchanged Both men are in a hospital at Victoria.

Mr. Shugart was shot in the left side, near the heart, when he approached the still He dropped to the ground and although badly wounded, drew his pistol and fired three shots at his fleeing assailant. Three of the alleged moonshiners, Jasper Shaw, Jefferson Spencer and Edgar Spencer were arrested in the raid and are confined in the Henrico county jail

THE ONE-MAN WOMAN—NO. 04

Chinatown Alice Dead

By Ruth Agnes Abeling

KATE was held rigid by the sight. sight. The gorgeous silken garment had been drawn taut around the body of the slender, blond girl. Her arm, outstretched above her crop of short, light curls, seemed transparent.

The body lay limp, motionless.

At the side of the bed, on the floor, his back toward the door, was Sing Loy. Sing was on his knees He was silent now. His slim, black-clad body swayed slightly as he crouched in the incense-filled room

"Sing Loy." Kate's lips formed the words, but no sound came from them.

"Somehow I can't disturb him." She turned toward Latham as she spoke. He was close to her, so close that she felt his breath on her face as she turned.

"Kate!" The word was barely audible, but Kate was startled by something in Latham's tone. She didn't venture to speak Suddenly she felt his arms around her. He was talking

"Kate—I owe an apology which it's too late to give" His voice was strained under the weight of emotion. "I didn't expect to find her this way. Forgive me for everything I've said—I've been a devil tonight—and I love you!"

Kate couldn't speak It seemed a sort of profanity, Latham projecting themselves into something so tragic

She tried to free herself Her hand struck the door of the scarlet-hung room. It swung back, hitting the wall with a sharp report

Sing Loy, cat-like, was on his feet in an instant. Kate, against her wish, was thrust into the blaze of color when Latham released her.

Sing Loy's face, as he stood looking silently, questioningly at Latham, then at Kate, was thin, drawn, haunted. Its natural pallor was intensified. His eyes had lost their perpetual smile. His mouth was a narrow, straight, colorless line

"What is it, Sing Loy?" Kate whispered She had always, for some unknown reason, pitied Sing Loy Her feeling for him now was intensified. The droop of his thin shoulders, the helpless look of his small, slim hands as they hung limply at his side—all of it played upon her emotion



"DEAD!"

She took a step nearer the bed as she spoke. Alice's face was turned from her She could see only the mop of yellow, curly hair. It was oddly motionless

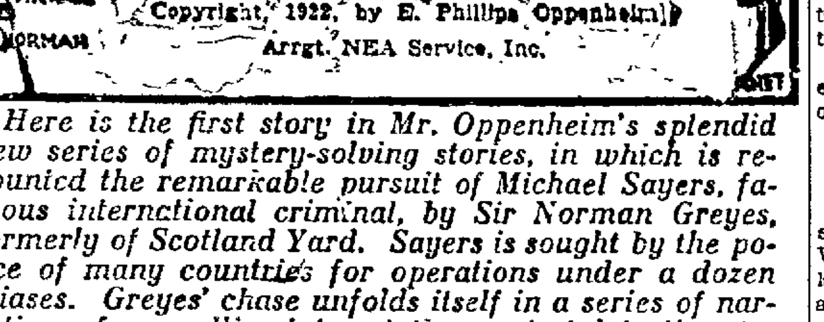
"What is it, Sing Loy?" Kate repeated.

"Dead"

The word came dully from the lips of the little oriental His expression did not change He stood motionless, passive and in the presence of his loved

(To Be Continued)

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Here is the first story in Mr. Oppenheim's splendid new series of mystery-solving stories, in which is recounted the remarkable pursuit of Michael Sayers, famous international criminal, by Sir Norman Greyes, formerly of Scotland Yard. Sayers is sought by the police of many countries for operations under a dozen aliases. Greyes' chase unfolds itself in a series of narratives of compelling interest, the greatest detective stories since "Sherlock Holmes." Be sure to follow the Oppenheim stories in this paper.

Michael Begins His Story

THE duel, or perhaps I should say vendetta, between Norman Greyes and myself—known under many aliases but christened Michael Sayers—began on the morning of the third of November, some years ago, when I left my suburban home at Brixton to catch my usual train to the city, and found myself confronted upon the pavement with the immediate chances of life or death.

I will admit that I was taken by surprise. Every man at Scotland Yard was known to me by name and reputation, and I was perfectly convinced in my own mind that there was no one in that much abused but, from our point of view, admirable institution, capable of penetrating the secrets of my daily life and discovering in me, the reputed Thomas Pugsley, leather broker of St. Thomas Street, Bermondsey, and 135 Woollerton Road, Brixton, the most accomplished and daring criminal of modern times. I knew at once, when I saw the police inspector with his two plain-clothes companions crossing the road toward me, that someone else was taking a hand in the game. Even at that moment, when I had little time for observation, I saw the well-remembered figure of a man emerge from behind the curtains of Number 133, opposite, and it took me exactly ten seconds to realize that henceforth, after I had escaped from this present dilemma, I should have to move my pieces with greater circumspection across the chessboard of life. I recognized him at once. His hair had grayed, but his keen eyes, his forceful mouth and his long, lean face were all unchanged He was the one man in the old days whom we had all feared, the man whose retirement from the Yard we had celebrated with a small but very select little dinner at the Cafe Royal. My old hatred of him blazed up as I realized the voluntary nature of his return to the career which he had abandoned. I made up my mind then that if ever the time came when I should be the arbiter of his fate, this man should have no quarter.

The street was a short one, and within 50 yards of a bustling thoroughfare. Nevertheless at that early hour there were not many people about, and as it afterward transpired, witnesses of the spirited few seconds which followed were almost non-existent. It has always been my principle that the best form of defense is prompt attack. While the inspector, therefore, stood with his mouth open ready to inform me that he held a warrant for my arrest, I shot him through the right shoulder. He staggered and would have fallen but for his two companions. Before they had propped him up against the railings and recovered from their surprise, I was round the corner of the street and in an empty telephone booth in the adjacent post-office substation.



BEFORE THEY HAD RECOVERED FROM THEIR SURPRISE, I WAS ROUND THE CORNER OF THE STREET AND IN AN EMPTY TELEPHONE BOOTH IN THE ADJACENT POSTOFFICE.

I have always maintained that the telephone company is an unjustly abused institution. On this occasion, at any rate, my defense of them was justified. Within thirty seconds of asking for Number 1000 Hop, I was speaking to the warehouseman, whose duty it was to dust and keep in good order my samples of leather—which, to tell the truth, were rarely used. My few rapid words of instruction spoken, I turned my attention to those ingenious devices which, although savoring a little of the trickster, have on more than one occasion assisted me in preserving my liberty. I turned my overcoat, which, in place of a sober black garment, now became a covering of light gray tweed with a half-belt behind. I rolled my trousers up to the knee, disclosing very well cut brown-leather gaiters. I left my black hat in the telephone-box, replacing it with a tweed cap; I removed with a little pang of regret the most wonderful dark mustache that the hand of artist had ever fashioned, adjusted a pair of dark spectacles and made my exit.

There was some commotion in the street outside, and the freckled young lady behind the counter paid scant attention to me.

"The telephone service doesn't get any better," I said pleasantly. "It's taken me nearly ten minutes to get two numbers."

She accepted my complaint with equanimity. Her attention was still on the street outside.

"What is it? A fire?" I asked.

She shook her head.

"I don't know," she answered.

I thereupon made my way into the street. There was a little crowd in Woollerton Road, and a motor ambulance came dashing up. I strolled along the broad thoroughfare until I sighted a taxicab. I hailed the man and hesitated for a moment, glancing up at the sky.

"Is it going to keep fine?" I asked the driver.

He considered the point for a moment. "Don't fancy there's much more rain about, guvnor," he replied.

"Then drive to Streatham Hill Station," I directed.

From Streatham Hill I traveled to London Bridge by the electric railway, and from London Bridge I took a taxi to Waterloo. From Waterloo I caught the ten-forty train to Brookwood, and from the hotel there, where I paused for some slight refreshment, I engaged a taxicab to drive me to Linkside, the country retreat of a certain Mr. James Stanfield, situated on the fringe of Woking Golf Links. William, my man-of-all-work, was digging in the garden, and welcomed me with the bucolic indifference of his class. Janet, his niece, admitted me promptly to the house and received my unexpected visit with a respectful lack of curiosity that was a heritage of her earlier training as parlor-maid. She lit the fire in the little sitting-room and listened to my few remarks with imperturbable pleasantness. Yet on that morning, perhaps more than any other in my life, I felt a shadow of uneasiness concerning Janet. I watched her in silence, stooping over the fire, a young woman with a figure whose perfection her ill-fitting corsets and clothes failed altogether to conceal, pale of complexion, with introspective, queer-colored eyes, close-lipped, and with a mass of well-brushed glossy brown hair. When she stood up, a little flushed with her exertions, she faced me for a moment, waiting for orders. I am not a susceptible man, but it struck me for the first time that the girl was more than ordinarily good-looking.

"Nothing has happened during my absence, Janet?" I inquired.

"Nothing at all, sir," she replied.

"Nobody called?"

"There was a rate-collector," she said. "He wanted to know your address in London."

"Did you tell him?"

"I do not know it, sir," she reminded me quietly.

I removed my glasses and polished them. I am an expert physiognomist, but the girl's impassivity baffled me.

"I will leave it with you before I go away next time," I promised. "Please put me out a gray tweed golf-suit and stockings."

"Shall you be requiring lunch, sir?" she asked.

"I will lunch at the Golf Club," I told her. "I shall dine at home."

She left me silently and without further remark. When I went upstairs, a few minutes later, my bedroom as usual was spotlessly neat, my golfing clothes laid out without any single omission. I discarded my somewhat heterogeneous articles of attire, donned my golfing habiliments with some care, and made my way to the links. In the passage of the clubhouse I met the secretary.

"Are you wanting a game this afternoon, Mr. Stanfield?" he asked.

"I should be glad of one," I replied.

"There's a man just come down," he went on, "—four handicap. You will find him in the grill."

I made my way there. Seated at a table alone was Sir Norman Greyes, the man who had watched for my arrest, a few hours ago, in Woollerton Road, Brixton.

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(Limit 2 pair to a customer.)
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8 yds. 14c Sea Island Sheeting $1.00
10 yds. 15c Plaid Dress Ginghams $1.00
32-in. Kalburne Ginghams, 3 1-2 yds $1.00
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Men's 20c Standard Make Linen Collar, 7 for $1.00
Men's 25c Fine Lisle Thread Hose, all colors 5 pair for $1.00
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COLOMBIA NAMES FIRST MINISTER TO MEXICO IN OVER TWENTY-FIVE YEARS

(By The Associated Press.)

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 21—For the first time in 25 years Colombia has named a minister to Mexico, according to 'El Universal' today. Dr. Louis Felipe Angulo has been selected for the post, says the newspaper, and will assume his duties shortly.

All Fat People Should Know This

Fat people owe a debt of gratitude to the author of the now famous Marmola Prescription, and are still more indebted for the reduction of this harmless, effective obesity remedy to tablet form. Marmola Prescription Tablets can be obtained at all drug stores the world over at the reasonable price of one dollar for a case, or you can secure them direct on receipt of price from the Marmola Co., 4612 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich. This now leaves no excuse for dieting or violent exercise for the reduction of the overfat body to normal.—adv.

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One or two Calotabs on the tongue at bed time, with a swallow of water—that's all. No salts, no nausea nor the slightest interference with your eating, pleasure or work. Next morning your cold has vanished, your liver is active, your system is purified and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Genuine Calotabs are sold only in original sealed packages, price thirty-five cents for the large family package, ten cents for the small, vest-pocket size.—adv.

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ARTIST SCOTT'S IDEA OF WHAT BLUE SUNDAYS WILL MEAN. THE CHIEF ANTAGONISTS, REV. HENRY L. BOWLBY, NATIONAL SECRETARY OF THE LORD'S DAY ALLIANCE (RIGHT), AND WILLIAM A. BRADY, THEATRICAL PRODUCER

BY EDWARD THIERRY

(Special to The Bee)

NEW YORK, Feb. 22—"Every Sunday a blue Sunday everywhere in America."

That says Rev. Henry L. Bowlby, champion crusader, is the idea behind the campaign begun with test cases in New York and New Jersey to stop Sunday theatrical performances.

The battle is on again. This time with a country-wide scope and a revivified and sternly determined Lord's Day Alliance pushing the campaign. Ranged against the alliance, of which Dr. Bowlby is national secretary, is the Anti-Blue Law League of America, claiming 350,000 members, and theatrical producers led by William A. Brady.

"Grasping greed for money is the canker of American life that is making our Sunday unholy," says Bowlby.

"Profiteering in morality," says Brady, characterizing Bowlby's Sunday clean-up campaign.

These are the things the Lord's Day Alliance hopes to banish in every city in the United States:

SUNDAY theatrical performances, including vaudeville and burlesque.

SUNDAY motion picture shows.

SUNDAY baseball.

Dr. Bowlby said branches of the alliance in many cities would follow the New York and New Jersey prosecutions as soon as tests of the law had been made. Brady, producer of "La Flamme," is one of the first test defendants.

"We are fighting every enterprise and amusement that makes money on Sunday," says Bowlby. "That includes theaters, baseball, grocers, cigar dealers, barbers. Only actual public necessities should be obtainable on Sunday. Drug stores and delicatessen stores may be open within prescribed hours."

Laws regulating Sunday amusements and business activities exist in every state, Bowlby said. The campaign is for the enforcement of these laws rather than for the immediate enactment of new and more stringent laws.

"It isn't blue Sundays we want, but clean Sundays—clean and pure without the taint of money greed and vice," he said. "Eventually we will turn our guns on Sunday baseball. It is bosh to say that baseball managers put on Sunday games to give the people a chance for amusement. The managers are after the cash; the people can get plenty of baseball on week days."

Bowlby said there had been more than 400 convictions in New York alone for violations of Sunday laws during the past six months.

One of those arrested in the New Jersey campaign was Rev. Father Joseph N. Grieff, pastor of the Holy Family Church of Union Hill. He was fined $1 for a violation of the vice and immorality act in giving "The Passion Play," which the church has been producing at intervals for nine years.

This was all a mistake, says Bowlby. Father Grieft thinks so too, for immediately after the city court reversed its decision and remitted the $1 fine he made plans to seek legal redress for his blue law conviction.

TRAP WEEVIL AS INDIANS ONCE CAUGHT BEAVERS

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 21—D. Hudson Maxim, scientist and inventor, at the closing session of the national cotton conference for boll weevil control here tonight declared that the very method used by the wild Indians to trap beavers may be used to exterminate the boll weevil, the scourge of the cotton belt.

The noted scientist spoke on "man or bug which shall inherit the earth." He gave an account of the past destructive insect pest known to science, concluding his address with the boll weevil.

During the early session today Dr. Miller Reese Hutchinson of New York, managing director of the campaign for the extermination of the cotton pest, and Bradley Stoughton, consulting engineer of New York, were the principal speakers.

During the course of the closing session, Governor Thomas W. Hardwick, of Georgia, announced that he would ask President Harding along what lines he wished the governors of fourteen cotton states to discuss the boll weevil situation. The governors invited to attend the conference which will be held in the immediate future are from Alabama, South Carolina, Tennessee, Louisiana, Mississippi, Florida, Virginia, Oklahoma and Arkansas.

Many of the state executives today wired Governor Hardwick accepting his invitation for a conference.

Governor John M. Parker of Louisiana, according to a telegram received by Governor Hardwick, considers the Ku Klux Klan a greater menace to the southern farmer than the boll weevil and will for the present continue his fight to eradicate that organization.

The Louisiana executive added that for the present he would let others look after the extermination of the South's cotton pest, but would appoint a representative to attend the governor's conference.

TO LOAN STATE MONEY FOR ROAD

(By The Associated Press)

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Feb. 21—Arrangements for lending the state of Virginia $50,000 to complete the road between Old Point and Richmond were completed today by the Hampton Rotary Club Committee, of which Paul Tabb is the chairman.

About 40 prominent business men of Hampton and Phoebus endorsed the notes upon which the banks will lend the money and the county of Elizabeth City will pay the interest until the funds are returned by the state highway commission. The money will be handed over to the highway commission at once so that Elizabeth City county's part in building the road from Old Point to Richmond will have been completed before the first day of March.

The successful termination of the plan to loan the $50,000 has been handled from the start by Paul Tabb as chairman of the committee.

IMPROVEMENT OF BUSINESS EXPECTED

BY J. V. SHANNON

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 21—Improvement of business which has followed carnival week has brought a feeling to New Orleans merchants that the situation is going to improve right through the spring. Bank deposits are heavier than last year and loans and discounts are heavier, indicating an expansion of business.

The recent advances in cotton and sugar while encouraging have brought little real cash into the pockets of local producers as most of the 1922 cotton and sugar already has been disposed of by planters. Hardware, brick, paints and machinery are all still showing a persistent and increasing demand according to dealers today.

PRES. DEFINES DUTIES OF ALL U. S. CITIZENS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21—That citizen who regards himself as a model of civic proprieties because his present conduct is impeccable, but who does not co-operate with the civil authorities or exert his influence in behalf of the best possible administration of the laws greatly overrates his usefulness as a citizen, President Harding stated in summing up his idea of the responsibility of the individual citizen for the proper administration of the laws of his country and his city. His message was addressed to the citizens of the United States through Rotary International in connection with the eighteenth anniversary of the organization of the first Rotary Club at Chicago, Feb. 23, 1905.

The full text of President Harding's message follows:

The individual citizen's responsibility for executive government begins with the selection of the executive. This implies the duty of every voter to vote, a duty that many millions of them regularly fail to perform. Before that it implies the duty to vote intelligently, to make the vote present a deliberate decision based on the claims of the opposing parties and candidates.

Finally, the executives being duly selected, it implies the obligation to give them the support of all good citizens in every effort of administration of the law. That citizen who regards himself as a model of the civic proprieties because his present conduct is impeccable, but who does not co-operate with the civil authorities or exert his influence in behalf of the best possible administration of the law greatly over-rates his own usefulness as a citizen. The responsible officers of government, whether it be municipal, state or national, need and are entitled to the full and effective support of all citizens in the enforcement of laws.

If the effort of Rotary should be effective in impressing this conception of the citizen's duty it will have performed a most useful service.

REMINGTON WAS A BOOTLEGGER

(By The Associated Press)

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 21—Earl Remington, electrical engineer, mysteriously slain here last Thursday night, was head of a bootlegger's ring, George K. Home, captain of detectives, declared here today. Captain Home said he was working on the theory that the slaying was the outcome of a bootlegger's war.

Captain Home said that one hundred gallons of whiskey had been traced to Remington.

Remington's bootlegging clientele included a number of wealthy Los Angeles persons, Captain Home declared. He said he was seeking a prominent Hollywood man as one who he thought might be able to throw some light on the mystery.

FRANCE AND HER ALLY IN ACCORD

(By The Associated Press)

PARIS, Feb. 21—France and Belgium are in perfect accord with regard to the situation in the Ruhr. This was disclosed today at a conference between Premier Theunis of Belgium and M. Poincare, the French prime minister, in which the ministers of finance, war, public works and of liberated regions and also Marshal Foch took part.

The details of the discussion were made public beyond an official communication which stated that the two governments found themselves in perfect agreement on all questions relating to the Ruhr, including a special currency issue for the occupied districts and new measures to be taken in case of continued resistance by the Germans.

OTHER WARRANTS.

WARREN, MASS., Feb. 21—Detectives assigned to investigate the disappearance of Frank L. Taylor, president of the First National Bank of Warren, and $217,000 in bonds and securities, said tonight that warrants also will be asked for Joseph R. Marsden, whom they term the ring leader of an interstate criminal organization held responsible for the robbery. Word is received from Buffalo, N. Y., during the day that $140,000 worth of the stolen bonds were sold in that city [illegible].

Prosecuting authorities express the belief that few of the bonds will be recovered, as they believe Taylor is one of the "pawns" for other persons.

House Starts Filibuster All Of Its Very Own

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21—Another filibuster was put under way today at the capital, this one in the House. It was aimed primarily at the bill proposing government purchase of the Cape Code Canal but other elements including the refusal of the Rules Committee to give right of way to Henry Ford's offer for Mussel Shoals were declared to have entered into it.

The conference report on the appropriation bill, which was taken up yesterday, furnished the vehicle. Consideration of it was concluded before adjournment, but not until there had been eight quorum and roll calls which took up about half of the session of nearly six hours.

Majority leaders said the time spent by the House in disposing of this matter had threatened their legislative program for the remainder of this session of Congress. It was their plan to bring up the Cape Cod bill tomorrow with a special rule which they believed would stop the movement begun today after there had been several sharp conflicts over disputed sections of the army measure.

Strong opposition to the Cape Cod bill from both the Democratic and Republican sides was forecast, but under the rule it would be disposed of in a single day. It then would go to the Senate and some of its opponents believed that there had been sufficient delay in its consideration by the House to make very improbable Senate action before March 4.

Aside from the Cape Cod measure the Rules Committee has voted out rules for ten other bills including the farm credits legislation. In addition the British debt settlement agreement remains to be acted upon. The managers hope to carry out their program despite the two days spent on the army bill, but some night sessions are regarded as necessary if this is to be done.

Some of the more important measures which they hope to put through are the navy omnibus bill, the postoffice omnibus bill, the Mississippi River flood control bill, an amendment to the China Trade Act urged by Secretary Hoover, the measure for return of part of the property of enemy aliens seized during the war and a number of relief measures from the military committee as well as the resolution authorizing government purchase and resale to the farmers of $10,000,000 worth of Chilean nitrates and American manufactured calcium arsenate.

GRANT'S BELIEFS NOT NEW BUT OLD SAYS TARSHISH

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 21—"A breath of new atmosphere in extreme contrast to the stagnation and conservatism of the past, now rampant in this country." This is the way in which the liberalism of Rev. Dr. Percy Stickney Grant, New York Episcopalian rector, is characterized by Rabbi Tarshish, addressing an audience at Temple Israel here.

"I cannot imagine Rev. Dr. Grant or Harry Emerson Fosdick, against whom the Presbyterians are preparing charges, harboring prejudice against the Catholic or the Jew," continued Rabbi Tarshish. "But I can imagine such prejudice in the hearts of those so steeped in their own particular faith that they feel all those who do not believe as they believe should be persecuted and cast out.

"When we witness the spectacle of William Jennings Bryan traveling over the country condemning evolution, when there are a thousand signs on every hand to support it, when we see in the classic halls of Harvard religious distinction between the Jew and the Christian, when we note the growing power of the fundamentalists demanding that the liberals go back to the beliefs of 200 years ago, when we note the growth of a powerful organization, limiting its membership to Protestant Christians to the exclusion of the Catholic and the Jew, when we see Billy Sunday preaching the theology of the sixteenth century to men and women of the twentieth century, we must be thankful that there are men who will stand forth for liberalism," asserted Rabbi Tarshish.

"The beliefs stated by Rev. Dr. Grant which have been the object of so much comment, are not new beliefs," Rabbi Tarshish continued. "Benjamin Franklin, one of our revered American patriots, did not believe in the deity of Jesus. Neither did Abraham Lincoln. The reason Rev. Dr. Grant has attracted so much publicity is not that he has stated new doctrines but that he is a picturesque character within the Christian church."

ONCE HOMELESS WAIF IS HEIR TO QUARTER MILLION

DETROIT, Feb. 21—Born in poverty, Georgeanna Handloser, at the age of 6, is sole heir to an estate estimated at a quarter of a million dollars.

Five years ago George W. Handloser and his wife took Georgeanna from an orphan asylum and adopted her as their own child. Careful investments swelled Handloser's possessions. Mrs. Handloser died three months ago. Georgeanna's foster father died from injuries received in an automobile accident.

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To make this splendid cough syrup, pour 2½ ounces of Pinex into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup and shake thoroughly. If you prefer, use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, you get a full pint—a family supply—of much better cough syrup than you could buy ready made for three times the money. Keeps perfectly and children love its pleasant taste.

Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, known the world over for its prompt healing effect upon the membranes.

To avoid disappointment ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with full directions and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

REVENUE CHECK ON ALL ROADS

(By The Associated Press)

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 21.—Submission of figures representing a revenue check for all the carriers of the South by W. B. McKinstry, comptroller of the Central of Georgia Railway and the submission of figures of terminal costs in the district were principal developments in the Southern class rate hearing here today before the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Figures submitted in the rate check by Mr. McKinstry indicate that the revision of rates according to carriers' proposals at this investigation would result in an increase of revenue approximating 18 per cent over the returns under the present rate system.

Per cent returns, as shown by statistics presented by Mr. McKinstry for 1921 were 2.07 per cent on investment and in 1922, a return of 4.45 per cent, was shown, making an average for the two years of 3.26 per cent.

The average number of miles of roads operated by the railroads during these two years was 38,385,053 according to the figures of the report and the total operating revenue for the same period averaged $18,191 per mile. A net income of $2,096 per mile was shown by the report.

Following Mr. McKinstry in giving testimony in the hearing, A. P. Otterson, comptroller of the N. C. and St. L. Railway went on the stand to submit figures on terminal costs in the district. Mr. Otterson remained on the stand until recess was taken until tomorrow, at which time his testimony will be completed and other phases of the hearing will be entered into.

Germany proposes to attempt to start international negotiations in London regarding [illegible] according to Berlin dispatch.

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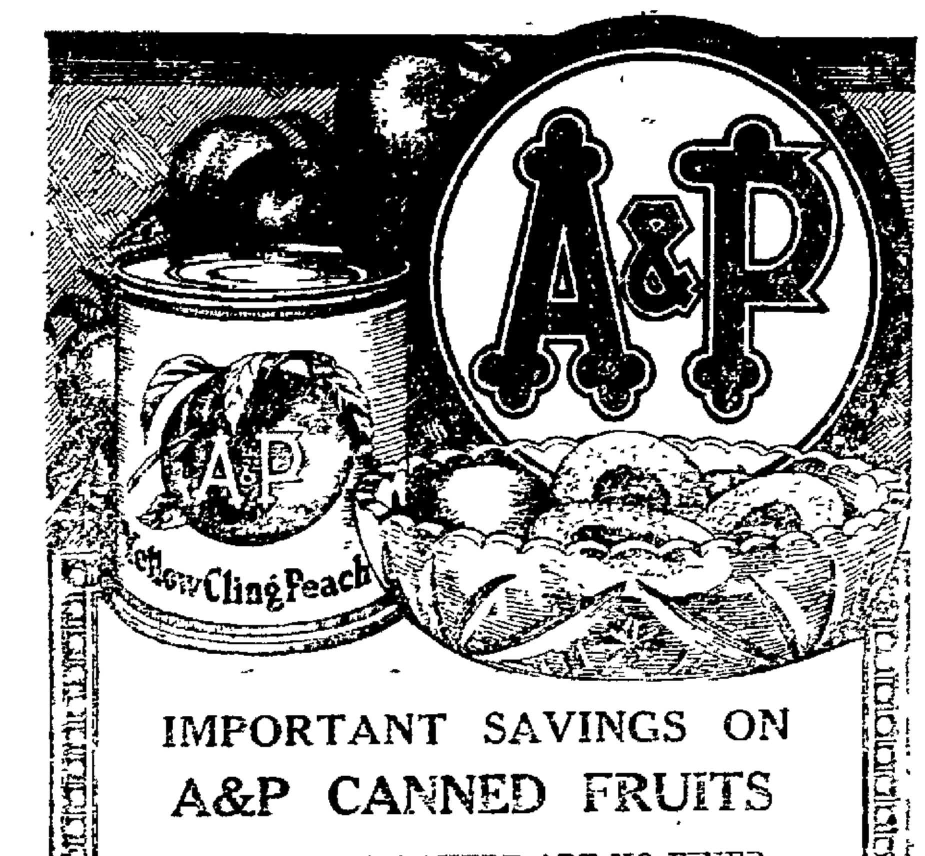
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But while Dare's Mentha Pepsin almost instantly relieves acute attacks, its great value lies in the fact that it will conquer the most stubborn cases of gastritis or indigestion and make your stomach so strong and sturdy that it will digest any hearty meal without distress. Read this from one it helped:

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A&P Cherries, No. 1 Can Royal Anne	28c
A&P Pears No. 2 1-2 Can	36c
A&P Apricots No. 2 1-2 Can	32c
Iona Peaches, No. 2 1-2 Can	24c
Sultana Broken Sliced No. 2 1-2 Pineapple Can	25c
Pure Lard Pound	14c
Fresh Creamery Butter, Pound	54c
3 Pkgs. A&P Macaroni or Spaghetti	25c
Sunmaid Seeded or Seedless Raisins, pkg	15c
3 Pkgs. A&P Oats	25c
Grape Fruit 3 for 28c; Oranges, Doz 40c; A&P Sliced Bacon Pkg. 25c; A&P [illegible] 11c; [illegible] Pound [illegible] 29c	
Irish Potatoes Peck	25c
Onions Pound	5c
Pink Salmon, Tall Can	13c

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Gene Sarazen Asks Big Purse in Open Golf Tournament

Golf Champion Suggests $5,000 In National Event

By LAWRENCE PERRY.
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NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Gene Sarazen has fired the first gun in which may prove to be a personal engagement between the United States Golf Association and the Professional Golfers. The Casus Belli will be an National Open Tournament. Sarazen thiks that a sum of at least $5,000 should go to the man who wins the open title, especially in view of the fact that the U. S. G. A. charges admission fees to spectators.

From the Pines of the Carolinas the you come to think of it. In fact, somemettes of Florida will come the cheers of our far flung Pros when Sarazen's bold sentiments are made known to them. It is rather interesting to note that plain speaking and prideful demeanor have not been characteristic of our professionals.

Gifted beyond all save a handful—t that—of our greatest amateur players the Pro has kept in his place. Compared to our great professionals in other sports the Mercenay golfe has been as shrinking as a march violet, as differential as a footman in a Peer's masion. It is amusing when thing deeper than mere amusement the line again and leadned that the may be extracted from this condition.

Here is Babe Ruth, whose annual salary would come near paying the yearly stipend of President Harding, soaking his burly form in the steam baths of the Ozarks while newspaper correspondents stand by to record his every action, word and thought. Jack Dempsey comes to New York and is received like a king. He will consider nothing short of several hundred thousand dollars for fighting from eight to fifteen three-minute rounds against a set up.

Yet Sarazen, outstanding professional exponent of a game that numbers more active participants than any two other sports in the country—if you leave out tennis—is glad to make his twenty thousand a year, if that. Or perhaps we had better put that statement in the past ense. Gene is aking himself seriously as a champion. Which is precisely what he should do if he wishes to be taken with equal seriousness by the public. He is becoming vocal. His hat is off to no man. Rallying behind him, emulating his example, the guild of professional golfers may very easily enhance public appraisal of their value and thus begin to garner wealth beyond the dreams of avarice. As the situation stands now a Sarazen, a Hagen, a Hutchison or Barnes will receive some two hundred and fifty dollars for an exhibition foursome, thirty-six holes. Some times more, sometimes less: the sum named strikes about the average.

This sounds well enough until we think of the Dempsey's, Ruths and the rest. On the other had golf is a real sport developed not through the impetus of great receipts but through the desire of men and women and children to play the game themselves. Perhaps Sarazen's misfortune that he should have associated himself with so pure and uncommercial a sport.

RHODES PLAYS HIS LAST GAME

(By The Associated Press.)

BLACKSBURG, Va., Feb., 21.—Playing the last game of his career at V. P. I., Captain Rhodes vainly attempted to tie the score in tonight's game with the Flying Cadets of Lexington. With the score standing 21 to 20 in favor of V. M. I., a foul was called just as the whistle blew. Captain Rhodes took his stand on the fifteen yard line and made a wild toss.

Both aggregations put up an excellent game. Rutherford, Rhodes and Carroll starred for V. P. I. while Ryder Ferguson, Faulkner and Seamons did great work for the visitors.

Tech plays Virginia in Lynchburg tomorrow night while V. M. I journeys to Richmond to meet Takola.

CHATHAM TRAINING SCHOOL DEFEATED SOUTH BOSTON

SOUTH BOSTON, Feb. 21.—The Chatham Training School basketball defeated the South Boston High School here last night by the score 30-24. Sanford forward, shot ten field goals and two out of four fouls. Pettyjohn, Mattox, Irby and Peters shot three field goals each and Johnson four, the lattetr having one foul credited to him.

THE WEEK IN SPORTS -:- -:- -:- -:- -:- -:- -:- By Thornton Fisher

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Lewis-Todd Go Tonight Is for English Crown

British Welter Champion Again to Risk Title in London to Younger Man—Tonight Second eMeting.

LONDON, Feb. 22.—Experience will be pitted against youth and ambition here tonight when Ted (Kid) Lewis, the welterweight champion of England and former holder of the world's title, will meet Roland Todd, a pugilistic newcomer, in a twenty-round battle for the British title. The bout will be staged at Alexandria Palace, with Captain J. H. Goolden promoting.

Tonight's affair will be the second meeting between Lewis and Todd. Three months ago the pair met in London, and Lewis received a decision which did not exictly thrill the spectators. There were many who thought that Todd should have had at least a draw.

It was generally claimed for Lewis, after the last bout, that he had been giving more attention t ohis theatrical contracts than to preparation for wenty rounds of earnest milling in the ring. It was evident that the "Kid" was not a tthe top of his form. Tonight's engagement probably will determine whether Lewis is capable of regaining his old-time form or has begun to slip down the pugilistic ladderd

The champion has trained conscientiously for this fight. He has given up all of his theatrical engagements and has spent the last five weeks in faithful preparation. At his training camp, in London, he has been going through a strenuous training routine and claims that he is in the best condition he has been in since he returned to England, after losing the world's title to Jack Britton in America several years ago.

Todd's chief claim to boxing merit is a really marvellous defense. In his last bout with Lewis he was stopping most of the champion's punches before they started, taking them on the shoulder or the arm, or eluding them completely. It is something of a trck for any boxer to go through twenty rounds with a wise old veteran like Lewis without absorbing considerable punishment, yet Todd emerged unmarked, and not once during the bout did Lewis really jar him with a wallop.

If Todd can mix a little vigor of attack with his remarkable defense he may be wearing the British welterweight crown before tonight's entertainment is over. In his previous fight with Lewis he undoubtedly lost the decision because he withdrew behind his defensive shell and let the champion do all the aggressive batting.

Todd is only twenty years old and has been fighting but a few months. His home is ni Doncaster, and his fame as yet has not spread far beyond his native haunts.

The advance sale fo seats, according to the promoters, has been heavy, and a huge crowd, with attending profit to the boxers and the entire preneur is expected.

DESCENDANT OF COLUMBUS IS LAW STUDENT

LONDON, Feb., 21.—Among the law students called to the bar at Middle Temple recently was C. J. Colombos who, although his name is spelled differently, is a descendant of the famous navigator Christopher Columbus. The son of the discoverer of America, Diego Columbus, was appointed by the government of Genoa t obe governor of the Island of Chias in the Aegean Sea. The family settled there, and in time adopted the Greek method of spelling their name.

The fahtre C. J. Colombos was born in Chios, but he himself was born in Malta and is a British subject. He is an LL.D., of Paris and Brussels, and has been recently a student of the Middle Tempie.

"MEASLES FOR SALE" ON HOUSES AROUSES POLICE IN PENNSYLVANIA TOWN

STEELTON, Pa., Feb. 21—"Measles for Sale" and "Measles for Rent" are two signs which recently have been displayed on many houses here. The queer combination became so common inquiries were made to the local police concerning the meaning of the signs and why they were posted. A policeman was sent to investigate.

After looking over more than a score of such signs the officer decided that the borough health officer either had a well developed sense of humor or an entire lack of it. An epidemic of measles has been prevalent here for some time. An unusual number of houses are posted "For Sale" or "For Rent." Each time the health officer posted a "measles" sign, either accidentially or by design, he placed it exactly above the "For Rent" or "For Sale" sign. Thus happened the queer combination.

E. C. CONDON WINNER

(By The Associated Press)

LAKE PLACID, N. Y., Feb. 21.—E. C. Condon of the Ottawa Ski Club won the seven mile cross country race in the third international ski meet events here today. His time was one hour, 7 minutes and six seconds. Nancy Sellers of Rabnor, Penn., won the three mile ski race for women in 36 minutes and 54 seconds. R. Smith Johannsen of New York City was leading at the ten mile post in the 25 mile gross coun-

ROYALTY SUNS ITSELF



You ofin hear of royalty sunning itself in its subjects' smiles, but here it is sunning itself on the sands of Palm Beach, Fla.—Prince Christopher and Princess Andrew, formerly of Greece.

WRESTLING

Young Stecker (vs) Cyclone Peters.

MUNICIPAL HALL, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23rd. AT 8 P. M.

Best two out of three falls to a finish, no time limit. The winner takes the entire purse. Extra—Batt's Royal—Good Preliminaries. Special section reserved for ladies—Admission $1.00, tax 10c. Ladies and children 50c, tax 5c. Main Bout starts promptly at 8:30. Advance ticket sale

Hatchers Pool Room, Bob's Lunch Room, Patterson Drug Store.
Bach's Sandwich Shop, Brown's Lunch Room, Campbell's Drug Store.

JUNIOR SUNDAY LEAGUE GAMES

Several good games were played last night by the Juniors in the Y. M. C. A., gymnasium, the one between the Baptists and Calvary being especially hard fought. In the first, Mt. Vernon playing with four men defeated the Presbyterians by the score of 22 to 6. All four of the Mt. Vernon boys played a hard fast game, with Gwynn getting the highest number of field goals. Hughes was the Presbyterian's best bet with three to his credit.

The line up:

Mt. Vernon 22		Presbyterians 6
Ferrell	F.	H. Gwynn
Hughes	F.	
Smith	C.	M. Watson
J. Watson	G.	Blair
J. D. Gwynn	G.	Ragland

Field goals: Hughes 3, Ragland 3, M. Watson 2, H. Gwynn 4. Foul goals, Ragland 4 out of 6. Referee, Ruffin.

Baptist defeated Calvary by the score of 14 to 8. This was a hard fought game in which Calvary led at the end of the first half by the score of 6 to 4. The Baptist boys came back in the second half and scored ten points while Calvary could only get two. Giles and Harrison played good games for the Baptists, while Lea and Ferguson did well for Calvary.

The line up:

Baptist 14		Calvary 8
Rucker	F.	Turbeville
Motley	F.	Ferguson
Trundle	C.	Beville
Giles	G.	Lea
Harrison	G.	Stephens

Field goals: Rucker 1, Trundle 1, Giles 3, Harrison 2, Ferguson 1, Lea 3. Foul goals: Harrison 0 out of 1, Lea 0 out of 4.

Main Street kept up its winning streak by taking the Presbyterians into camp by the score of 12 to 2. The losing team only being able to score one field goal, while all the Main Street players except Nance broke into the scoring column.

The line up:

Main Street 12		Presbyterians 2
I. Jordan	F.	Ferrell
Bagby	F.	Hughes
Farley	C.	Smith
E. Jordan	G.	Watson
Nance	G.	Gwynn

Field goals: Hughes 1, I. Jordan 2 Bagby 1, Farley 2, E. Jordan 1. Foul goals: Farley 0 out of 1, Hughes 0 out of 2.

JUNIOR LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Perc
Mt. Vernon	9	3	750
Main Street	9	3	750
Baptist	8	4	666
Calvary	2	10	166
Presbyterians	2	10	166

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Basketball Results

At Roanoke, Va.; Bristol Girls 10; Roanoke Girls 24.

At Clemson College 25; Davidson 18.

At Daleville, Va.: Western Maryland 32; Daleville College 24.

At Blacksburg, Va.: V. M. I. 21; V. P. I. 20.

At Williamsburg, Va.: William and Mary 39; Randolph-Macon 17.

At Blacksburg, Va.: Roanoke High 32; V. P. I. Freshman 16.

D. M. I. PUTS UP ITS BEST GAME

Though D. M. I. lost to V. E. S., at Lynchburg last night, the fight and spirit of the game was such as to bring only favorable comment from both the coach and spectators. The Tigers fought from first to last whistle, never gave up the fight, and as a matter of fact were first to begin the scoring when Duncan shot a foul in the first few minutes of the game.

Biggs, Perkinson and Martin divided honors in the guarding. Though Bigg's smothering cover was somewhat hampered by a game leg, Perkinson showed a burst of speed that was most gratifying, and Holder, captain of the team, at forward, accounted for himself with five field goals—Spessard and Duncan also added considerably to the good workings of the quint.

In the matter of scoring the V. E. S. five had a distinct advantage in their old seasoned quint, but the Cadets asked for and gave no quarter. The game was fast and thrilling from first to last.

V. E. S.		D. M. I.
Frazien	R. F.	Holder
Meade	L. F.	Spessard
Rigers	C.	Duncan
Lee	R. G.	Biggs & Martin
Perry	L. G.	Perkinson

Periods—Ten minutes quarters, score 61—[illegible]

CAPTAIN SMITH WHO SENT FIRST CABLEGRAM DIES

(BY The Associated Press)

PORT CHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 21—Captain Robert H. Smith who sent the first cablegram across the Atlantic in 1856, for Cyrus W. Field who laid the cable, died here today at his home at the age of 82. During the Civil War Captain Smith, as a military telegraph officer, served for a time as personal telegrapher for President Lincoln. He worked as a boy with Thomas A. Edison in Boston. For many years Captain Smith was chief operator for the Western Union.

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MIDDIES ARE DEFEATED

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 21—The Naval Academy Basket Ball team suffered its second defeat of the season today when Catholic University players of Washington won, 21 to 19. The middies will play their last game Saturday against the West Point Cadets.

BASKETBALL GAME

A very interesting basket ball game was played last night at the Y. M. C. A. The Main St. Sunday School team played the Employed Boy's second team. It was a tight game all the way through, with first one and then the other leading. Main St. won the game by three points the scores being 16 to 13.

Camp Foresees U. S. Vivtory In Walker Matches

BY WALTER CAMP
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NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—There is every indications today that the Walker Cup Golf Matches will be played at St. Andrews, Scotland on May 17 and 18. If we send our best men they should win.

This may seem to be a rather flat prediction but it is founded upon sound reasoning. Anyone who followed the championships last year saw the heights of American Match play spirit, the competition, at times reaching the greatest exposition of M. Coue's imagination principle. And that is what will count the most in this coming contest.

It is not the Ding Dong steadiness and calculating work that characterizes an open medal play competition and it suits our amateurs better.

A second reason for the seemingly flat prediction is that the British are just between Hay and Grass in their present day golf. Their youngsters are coming on but have not yet quite arrived and their older players, decimated by war's inroads are not now as formidable as of old. The very fact that John Ball and Harold Helton may be considered proves that. Ball is still dangerous and he might strike high flight. Helton has the greatness of spirit and a wonderful control over that baffy spoon of his. But neither one of them could be expected to hold our best men if the latter play as they did at Brookline. Davison is a fine golfers. When he substituted last year he showed it, but he, too, is along in years and his best would not be good enough. Halderness, Tolley and Wethered are a different proposition and will take a lot of beating as we all know but they cannot carry it all. So, if we can send our best the odds favor us, and that decisively, for we have Sweetzer, Jones, Knepper, Ouimet, Guilford and other stars in the prime of competitive age besides any number of close up men to swell the ranks of possibilities.

YOUNG STECKER GETTING READY FOR HIS BOUT

Young Stecker has returned to Danville from South Carolina where he defeated two opponents in wrestling matches gaining two out of three falls each time. Stecker said yesterday morning that he intended completing his training for his bout on Friday with "Cyclone" Peters. This is a return match with Peters who wrestled with Stecker two weeks ago, the bout ending in a draw. Friday night's engagement will be a wrestle to the finish and will go on early in order to afford ample time for a determination of the bout. Stecker is training at the Y. M. C. A., gym, and will do some out of door training.

BIG PAY TO PRO GOLFERS HURTS SMALLER CLUBS

(Special to The Bee.)

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 22.—The Western Golf Association is investigating claims that professional golfers are being overpaid for exhibitions, says Charles O. Pfeil, Memphis architect, president of the Western Golf Association.

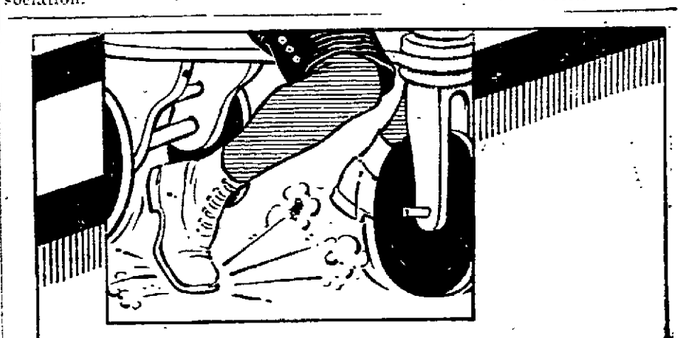
"Exhibitions are a wonderful thing," states Pfeil. "They inspire players, and the more staged, the better golf is benefited. However, smaller clubs cannot afford to pay enormous sums and are deprived of the privilege of getting the matches."

Pfeil is a booster of Chick Evans' plan to raise money to give some caddy a college education. Evans has dictated a number of phonograph records, each a lesson in golf, and they are on sale. The money derived will be used toward giving the winner of a caddy tournament, to be staged at Chicago, an education.

Pfeil is 51 years old and was 30 years of age before he played his first game. He says he is an "80 player," but is far from satisfied.

He is also on the executive committee of the United States Golf Association.





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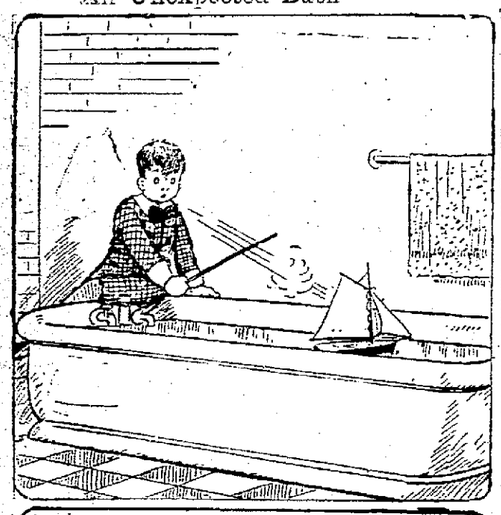


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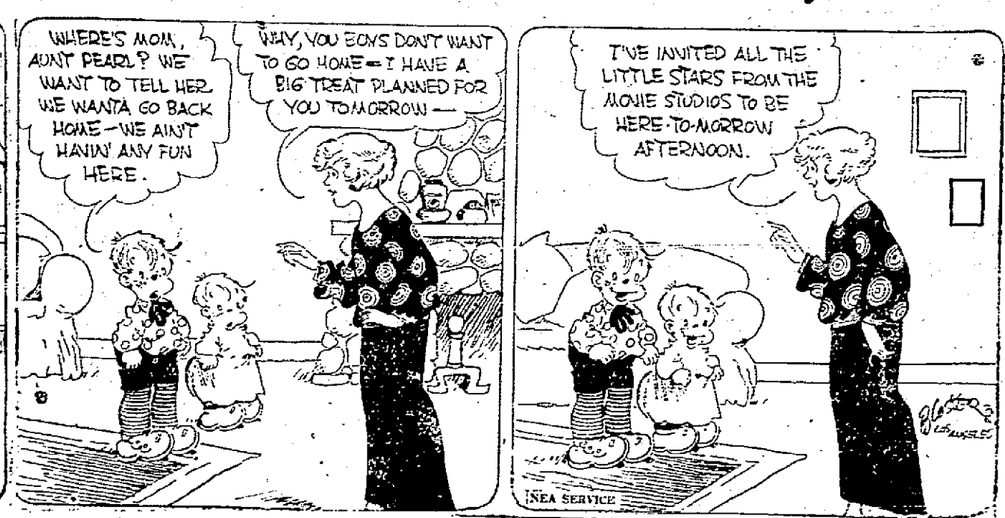
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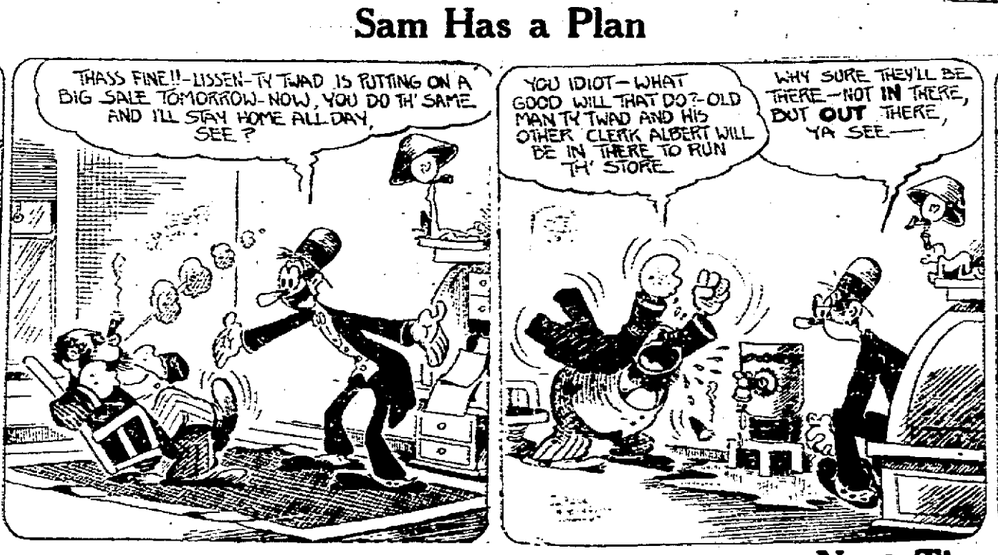
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MACHINERY

SPRINGFIELD, Feb., 21.—The output of the American Bosch Magneto Company is rapidly approaching normal capacity today. Shipments in the last month have been larger than for any similar period since September 1920.

CLOTHING

ST. LOUIS, Feb., 21.—Clothing wholesales and jobbers have some exceptionally large orders on their books today and are pressing manufacturers for deliveries. The latter are working at full capacity.

LUMBER

BOSTON, Feb., 21.—The local lumber market is very strong today and dealers are moving a tremendous amount of stock considering weather conditions Spruce holds firm at $50 a thousand feet base. Lath and Cedar shingles are higher and Yellow Pine is strong at top figures

HARDWARE

PITTSBURGH, Feb., 21.—There has been a lull in the demand for building hardware which is expected to disappear with spring weather. Rivets bolts and nuts are rather quiet today but in shovels and wagon equipment there is a good business

SHOES

FORT WORTH, Feb., 21.—Retailers here estimated today that the retail shoe business throughout the southwest at present was 75 per cent. above the volume of sales for the corresponding time last year.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—BETWEEN SOUTH MAIN and Bridge streets, Elgin wrist watch, engraved, green gold, black bracelet. Reward, call 1499-J. 2-22R & B*

LOST OR STOLEN—SOLID BLACK Gordon setter with collar on. No name on plate. Phone 1180 or 124 A. R. Graveley. R & B

LOST—WEDNESDAY, ONE PROspectus, "The System Bible Study," in downtown section. Reward if returned to the Register office. R & B*

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FOR SALE—NEW FOUR ROOM cottage easy terms, see owner, 912 Cole St. 2-22 B3t R sun

UTAH WOOLGROWERS FAVOR HOLDING CROP UNTIL WOOL IS SCARCE

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Feb. 21—Early arrival of wool buyers in Utah and brisk bidding for the wool clip have led sheepmen of the State to believe that wool prices will remain strong this year The wool men generally have announced that they oppose selling at this time and favor waiting until wool is short.

Clipping will commence in Utah early in April It is already reported that wool pools are being formed in the Vernal districts for special grades. Members of the farmers' association are preparing a pool.

In the Uinta basin 30,000 pounds of wool have been sold at 45.7 cents a pound. Included in the buyers in the Vernal district are Albert Erickson of Harris & Co., St. Louis, Mo; Henry A. Wilke of Salt Lake, representing Hallowell, Jones & Donald, Boston, Mass.; William Whitbeck, Sr representing the Lafayette Worsted Mills and the French Woolen Mills of Providence, R. I.

BROOMSTICK IS REMOVED FROM THROAT OF HEIFER

JERSEYVILLE, Ill., Feb. 21—To dislodge an ear of corn from the throat of a Shorthorn heifer, whose greed for the grain resulted in her swallowing it whole, Fred Breitweiser used a broom handle. The handle broke and a veterinary surgeon performed an operation to extract two feet of the stick which remained in the cow's throat. The heifer is recovering at the Breitweiser farm.

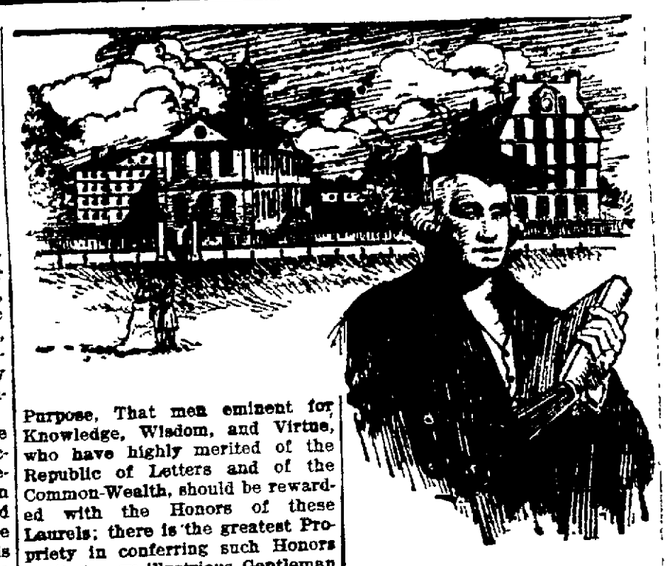
"Mr. Marshall"



Matthew D. Biddulph, arrested as the "Mr. Marshall" in the $500,000 jewel robbery of Mrs. C. P. H. Schoellkopf in New York City, New Year's Eve, is held in $100,000 bail awaiting trial.

Dr. George Washington, Defender of Universities

Harvard's Highest Degree Given to General Who Drove Out British



IF THE colonists had known anything of free verse, radio, stunt flying or esthetic dancing, it is likely some savant would discover that George Washington had been an adept at all of them.

He has been proclaimed a general, diplomat, statesman, farmer and man of letters. This year, in the American Mutual Magazine for February, published at Boston, Carl Holliday, professor of American Literature at the University of Toledo, tells of "When Washington Became a Doctor."

The time was April 2, 1776. The place was Concord, Mass. The occasion was the annual commencement of Harvard University, then a college and temporarily moved from Cambridge to Concord. The reason, prophetic of similar awards following the late war, was the University's gratitude for Doctor Washington's having, the preceding month, compelled the British to evacuate Boston and Cambridge. The doctorate itself was that of laws, "the law of Nature and Nations, and the Civil Law."

One Predecessor

The degree had been bestowed but once. It was given then to John Winthrop, one of the most profound students in America.

Washington, Doctor Holliday states, was "totally innocent of any 'higher learning,'" but the University authorities had concluded possession of his qualities of leadership and their exercise were at the time far greater wisdom than an ability to construct "paradigms of nouns in the Greek tongue." They were prompt in demonstrating their belief.

The document conferring the degree is quoted below and in itself makes a unique and worthy tribute to the Father of His Country at a time when his natal day is being observed by his tremendously grown-up child:

"The Corporation of Harvard College in Cambridge, New England, to all the Faithful in Christ, to whom these Presents shall come

"Greetings.

"Whereas Academical Degrees were originally instituted for this Purpose, That men eminent for Knowledge, Wisdom, and Virtue, who have highly merited of the Republic of Letters and of the Common-Wealth, should be rewarded with the Honors of these Laurels; there is the greatest Propriety in conferring such Honors on that very illustrious Gentleman George Washington, Esq.; the accomplished General of the Confederated Colonies in America, whose knowledge and patriotic Ardor are manifest to all. Who for his distinguished Virtue, both Civil and Military, in the first place, being elected by the Suffrages of the Virginians, one of their Delegates, exerted himself with Fidelity and singular wisdom in the celebrated Congress of America for the Defense of Liberty, when in the utmost danger of being for ever lost, and for the Salvation of his Country; and then, at the earnest request of that Grand Council of Patriots, without hesitation, left all the pleasures of his delightful seat in Virginia, and the affairs of his own Estate, that through all the Fatigues and Dangers of a Camp, without accepting any Reward, he might deliver New-England from the unjust and cruel Arms of Britain, and defend the other Colonies; and who, by the most signal Smiles of Divine Providence on his Military Operations, drove the Fleet and Troops of the Enemy with disgraceful Precipitation from the Town of Boston, which for Eleven Months had been shut up, fortified, and defended by a Garrison of above Seven Thousand Regulars: so that the Inhabitants who suffered a great variety of Hardships and Cruelties while under the Power of the Oppressors, now rejoice in their Deliverance, and the neighboring Towns are freed from the Tumult of Arms, and our University has the agreeable Prospect of being restored to its ancient Seat.

"Know ye therefore that We, the President and Fellows of Harvard College in Cambridge (with the Consent of the Honored and Reverend Overseers of our Academy), have constituted and created the aforesaid Gentleman, GEORGE WASHINGTON, who merits the highest Honor, Doctor of Laws, the Law of Nature and Nations, and the Civil law; and have given and granted unto him at the same Time all Rights, Privileges, and Honors to the said Degree pertaining.

"In Testimony whereof, We have affixed the Seal of our University to these Letters, and subscribed with our Hand writing this Third Day of April in the Year of our Lord one thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-six.

"Samuel Langdon, S. T. D. Praeses, Nathaniel Appleton, S. T D, Johannes Winthrop, Math. et., Phil. P. Hol. LL.D., Andreas Eliot, S. T. D., Samuel Cooper, S. T. D., Johannes Wadsworth, Log. et. Eth. Pre. Thesaurarius., Socii."

Gold-Encrusted Sacred Cow Removed From Tomb



Among the most wonderful articles to be taken from the 3500-year-old tomb of Tut-Ankh-Amen are three couches, gold-encrusted and bejewelled and supported by carved ivory animals, symbolic of Egyptian gods. Above is shown a gold-encrusted representation of the sacred cow which served as frame-work for one of the couches.

BILL HARTS TO SEEK DIVORCE



Domestic troubles of Bill Hart, movie hero, and his wife, formerly Winifred Westover, soon will be told in divorce court, according to the latter. She says matters have gone too far for amicable settlement or reconciliation.

GOVERNOR WILL TAKE PART IN CELEBRATION

(By The Associated Press)

RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 21.—Governor E. Lee Trinkle, accompanied by Mrs. Trinkle, member of his staff. Representatives of the various patriotic organizations and a detachment of the Richmond Blues battalion will go to Alexandria tomorrow to participate in the eGorge Washington Birthday celebration.

DRY GOODS

HOUSTON, Feb., 21.—Local jobbers are gathering in a harvest of orders as a result of "Fur in Houston Week" now in progress here. Retailers from the entire section have come in to the market and movement of dry goods both at wholesale and retail is far in excess of last year.

OIL

LOS ANGELES, Feb 21—Announcement that the Pan American Pete Company will endeavor to develop a large oriental market was taken today by oil men here to indicate a transfer in part of activities from the Tampico Mexican field to California. Pan American officials pointed today that the California Crude is below the levels of Eastern crude oils because consumption is larger than western demand and facilities for shipping to Atlantic Terminals are inadequate.

AUTOMOBILES

DULUTH, Feb, 21—The Mesabo Motor Company has purchased a large snow plow with Caterpillar tractor propulsion to clear its motor transport roads in Northeastern Minnesota.

RAILROAD EQUIPMENT

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 21.—Better credit positions of public utilities companies are reflected in the increased orders being received today by railroad supply manufacturers here.

ODD FELLOW NOTICE

Bethesda lodge degree team will confer the first degree on eighteen candidates at Dan River lodge at Schoolfield 7:30 p. m tonight
F. K. FARLEY, Sec

"ORDER PUBLICATION."

Issued by order of the Clerk of the Corporation Court of Danville, entered on the 15th day of February, 1923.
VIRGINIA —
In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of Danville, on the 15th day of February, 1923
Josie H Byrd ..... Plaintiff
against
Charles L. Byrd ..... Defendant
IN CHANCERY
The object of this suit is to obtain from the said Court a decree divorcing the plaintiff, Josie H. Byrd, a vinculo matrimonii from the said defendant, Charles L Byrd, upon the grounds of desertion and adultery.

And an affidavit having been made and duly filed that the said defendant, Charles L. Byrd, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, it is therefore ordered that he do appear here within ten days after due publication of this order once a week for four successive weeks in The Bee, a newspaper published in the City of Danville, Virginia, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

A Copy Teste:—
OTIS BRADLEY, Clerk.
M R. Flynn, P. C.
2-15B thu 4t

The Westminster class of the First Presbyterian church is having a cake and candy sale at Jacob's Drug Store, Saturday morning 2-22 B&R

DANVILLE REVIEW No. 22, THE Woman's Benefit Association of Maccabees, will have a special called meeting at the collector's home, Mrs. Lavinia Fuller, 779 Grove St., Friday evening at 7 o'clock All members urged to be present 2-22 B&R

ATTENTION B. P. O. ELKS

All members are urged to attend the regular meeting of Danville lodge No. 227 tonight at 8 o'clock. Nomination of officers and other important business Visiting brothers invited.
JESSE W BENTON, E R.
S. W. COLLIE Secretary.

CARD OF THANKS

To our friends and neighbors we desire to thank you for the many tokens of kindness and sympathy, for flowers and the use of your automobiles at the funeral and burial of our son and brother. W. H Armes
MRS M S. ARMES and Family.

NOTICE

To the voters of Pittsylvania county and City of Danville:

I wish to thank all of you for the expression of confidence in me, in electing me as a member of the State Senate from your district, on the 20th day of February, 1923. I will endeavor to be a fair minded representative and hope you will not hesitate to call upon me, as your representative in the Senate, at any time, for anything that is within my power.

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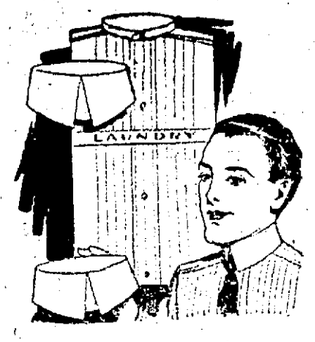
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DANVILLE GETS CLOTHIERS IN 1923

(By The Associated Press.)

LYNCHBURG, Va., Feb. 21.—The fifth convention of the Retail Clothiers' and Furnishers Association of Virginia ended here late today. Danville being the selection for the next place of meeting, February 1924. The convention, though small, was characterized as the best and most constructive association has held.

Officers for the year are:

President: J. J. Airheart, Roanoke, first vice president Gilbert Greentree, Richmond; second vice president L. E. Davis; Secretary-treasurer, E. Clyde Cooksie, Roanoke and national director, Fleet Kirk, Richmond.

Board of directors.

Joseph Davidson and S. Rosenberg, Roanoke, Mr. Kaufman, Charlottesville; Paul Cheatham, Lynchburg; L. E. Latham, Fredericksburg; T. C. Smith, Bristol; Raphael Levy and W. G. Quarles, Richmond; L. L. Kaufman, Danville; H. M. Harris, Clarksville; Nant Murmelstein, Newport News; Lou Mansback; Sam Dunston and Roy Shulman, Norfolk and Ed Eisheneurm, Petersburg.

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One Out of Every 12,000 Will Be Murdered in 1923

Federal Action Is the Only Thing That Will Put Stop to Gun-Toting—Capper's Bill.

(Copyright, 1923, By The Bee)

One out of every 12,000 persons in the United States will die at the hands of a murderer in 1923—if the present murder rate is maintained.

Most of these murders will be committed with the aid of a revolver or its more up-to-date kinsman, the automatic pistol.

For these are the handiest of all murder tools. They're easily concealed on the person of the slayer. Little skill or courage is required in their operation.

Can frequent murder in the United States—often described as "the biggest blot on American civilization"—be checked if revolvers and pistols are made difficult—or impossible, to secure?

What is being done to keep these man-killers out of the hands of potential murderers?

Or what should be done?

To answer these questions comprehensively The Bee through NEA Service has conducted a survey of the 48 states in which scores of police chiefs have been interviewed and the gun-toting situation in every important American city has been thoroughly analyzed.

This survey—the most sweeping of its kind ever undertaken—shows:

That while the carrying of concealed deadly weapons without proper permit is almost universally forbidden by state la wor municipal ordinance, there is wide variation in the strictness with which such regulations are enforced.

That the sale of deadly weapons is unrestricted over wide areas, with only sporadic attempts here and there to prevent purchase of weapons by potential killers.

That where regulations restricting the sale of weapons do exist, they are nullified b ythe ease with which criminals can go to another state or city to buy their weapons or purchase them by mail and thus have them delivered by an agency of the United States government itself!

That police chiefs are practically unanimous in a demand that the sale of pistols be absolutely barred by federal law except to persons who have legitimate business with such weapons.

The survey shows startling differences between states and between municipalities regarding regulation of the sale of weapons.

There is no restriction on the purchase of pistols or revolvers in Maine, Georgia, South Dakota, New Hampshire, Arkansas, Indiana, Pennsylvania, Kentucky, Vermont, Colorado, Minnesota, New Mexico, Wyoming, New Jersey, Idaho, Nevada, Montana, North Dakota, Iowa, Nebraska, Arizona, Florida or Maryland.

In most cities of these states revolvers can be purchased by anyone at any hardware or second-hand store and displays of deadly weapons grace the windows of many shops.

State laws in all these states, however, forbid the carrying of concealed deadly weapons, except in Nevada, where this is covered by municipal ordinances in Reno and elsewhere.

A municipal ordinance in Portland, Me., and a state law in Maryland, force the dealer to register the name and address of every person purchasing a revolver or pistol.

Albuquerque, N. M., prohibits the sale of weapons to aliens. Minnesota is planning an elaborate set of state regulations to prevent sales to undesirable persons.

Elsewhere the sale of weapons is more or less restricted by state or city regulations—usually the latter.

Permits for Purchase Of Weapons Required

The most usual regulation provides that every purchaser of a revolver or pistol must present to the dealer a permit secured from the chief of police, sheriff or from a designated judge.

The dealer then is required to report the sale within 24 hours to police headquarters, giving the name of the purchaser, his age, occupation and address and the make and serial number of the weapon. This data is filed by the authorities.

In most cases the buyer before securing a permit must convince the authorities of his good moral character and of his need of a weapon. In many states and cities he must be identified by at least two freeholders.

Regulations of this type, are in effect in Oklahoma City, Detroit, San Francisco, Salt Lake City, Boston, Los Angeles, Milwaukee, Seattle and Portland, Ore., and in the states of Illinois, Missouri, Utah, North Carolina and Delaware.

Dealers Compelled To Obtain Licenses

Less stringent regulations in other localities provide simply that the dealer must secure a license to vend firearms. Such regulations are in effect in Rhode Island and Wheeling, W. Va.

A city ordinance in Memphis, Tenn. forbids the sale of small arms to any undesirable person under penalty of $50 fine.

Connecticut, by state law, requires every dealer to report to police headquarters within 24 hours the sale of every revolver or pistol, giving the purchaser's name and address and the make and serial number of the weapon.

Birmingham, Ala., goes no further than to forbid the display of dangerous weapons in store windows and other prominent places.

Texas absolutely forbids sale of revolvers and pistols by a state law. But this law has been evaded in a wholesale manner by the subterfuge of leasing weapons for 99 years.

Only "Cannons" Allowed Here

In South Carolina it is unlawful to sell without due authorization, a pistol or revolver less than 10 inches long or weighing less than three pounds, the authorities evidently believing it would be difficult to carry concealed weapon of that size.

By far the most stringent of all laws against firearms is that in effect in New York state. This provides that a pistol or revolver cannot be bought or even kept in a home without police authorization.

This strict law, however, is easily evaded by New York criminals, who can buy all the weapons they want cheaply by crossing to New Jersey.

Police Commissioner R. E. Enright of New York says:

"The (New York) state law should be supplemented and supported by a federal statute regulating the manufacture, sale, importation and possession of firearms and other weapons."

CAPPER'S BILL A MODEL

(Special to The Bee.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Spurred by the national capital's crime record of 28 murders, 23 cases of manslaughter, six assaults with intent to kill and 398 assaults with dangerous weapons in 1922, Senator Arthur Capper, of Kansas, has drafted a law covering the sale and ownership of firearms in the District of Columbia.

This bill has been favorably reported for passage. It will be the pattern for any later legislation which may be passed to regulate sale and use of firearms on a nationwide scale. The bill, which applies to all firearms with a barrel less than 12 inches long, provides:

ONE—That any person, who, armed with a pistol, commits a crime, shall receive an extra sentence of not more than five years in addition to the fixed penalty for the crime.

TWO—Court shall hold possession of a revolver or pistol to be prima facie evidence o fintention to commit a felony.

THREE—Mere carrying of pistol or revolver without permit entails imprisonment for not less than one year.

FOUR — No person can give, sell or lend a weapon to a minor.

FIVE—Dealers must be licensed and can sell arms only to those bearing a police permit. Then permit and record of sale must be filed with the police.

SIX—No person can secure a pistol until at least one day after he asks to buy it. This provision is to give "hot blood" a chance to cool.

A PUZZLE A DAY

An inch-worm attempted to climb a tree trunk 30 feet high. After climbing three feet in an hour, it slipped back two feet. How many hours would it take the inch-worm to climb the trunk?

Yesterday's answer:

Within the convent's cloisters drear
Grew beds of tall chrysanthemum;
And there, at night, we pause to hear
The choir its saintly anthem hum.

The last line of the above stanza makes a suitable rhyme for "chrysanthemum."

GREEK WHO WENT HOME FOUND PECK OF TROUBLE

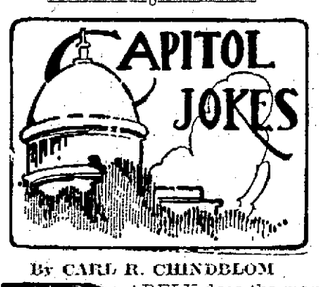
ATHENS, Ohio., Feb. 21.— Arthur Foffis, Greek candy maker, cleane up a small fortune an left for Athens, Greece, his native city, in 1912 for a visit. He was inducted into the army and went through so many wars he cannot remember all of them, although he does know his money is all gone. He was a

Case Is Puzzle



The rights of an unborn child against provisions of the legal code is the question puzzling Minnesota authorities. Julia Churchill, above, was given freedom, after arrest, on condition she leave the state. Now she has returned asking permission to marry Melvin O'Loughlin, serving sentence for burglary. She pleads the rights of her expected baby.

CAPITOL JOKES



By CARL R. CHINDBLOM



CHINDBLOM

RARELY does the man who remains calm in all emergencies lose an argument to the one who is prone to get excited.

The tale of the two apartment house dwellers proves this.

There was a merry party in Mr. Smith's suite. A good time was being had by all. Presently there came a knock at the door, and Mr. Brown's servant appeared.

"Beg pardon, sir," said the servant, "but Mr. Borwn says will you make less noise as he can't read."

"That's interesting," said Mr. Smith. "You tell Mr. Brown I'm sorry he can't read; I could read when I was 6 years old."

Conversation Fragment Over Telephone Caused Alarm in Police Dept.

BUCYRUS, Ohio, Feb. 21.—"This is the sheriff. Can you send a man over right away? We had a fellow break out over here——"

The telephone connection in police headquarters went bad.

Night Patrolma John Kennedy, on the desk, was equal to the emergency, however. He hastily summoned the police in from their beats.

Then he got the sheriff's office on adequate purse for the winner of the "fellow broke out with the measles, and we want someone to help separate the prisoners."

PROHIBITION IN MEXICO

(By The Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—The Mexican government according to advices received here, is contemplating the adoption of a prohibition law directed against all alcoholic beverages within a zone fifty miles wide along the entire American border. It was said here today that an official announcement could be expected soon from Mexico City promulgating the new legislation.

HOW TO MAKE ONE SLIP DO FOR MANY DRESSES



(Special to The Bee.)

COSTUME slips have almost become costumes in themselves.

Blouses are so loose of line that a trimly-fitting underwaist, to which skirts may be attached, is needed to give the proper swing to the skirt.

So the slip—really a dress skirt with plain bodice—has become more and more elaborate.

Many show side drapes and tunics, or wide flounces. Some are made in wrap-around style, with circular pleats.

The idea is that one slip may be used with several blouses, since it's fashionable to have skirt and blouse of different fabrics.

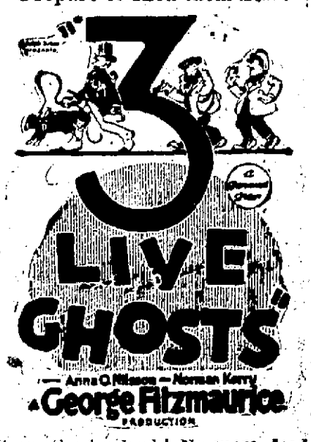
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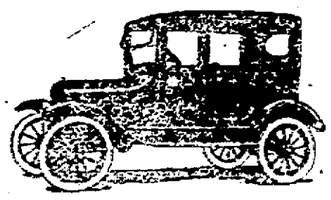
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